

**CROPS****Drowned Out by Rains.****Heavy Losses****Sustained by Farmers in Many States.****In Some Instances the Fields Have Been Turned Into Lakes.****Only the Most Favorable Kind of Weather Can Now Save the Farmers From Very Heavy Loss.**

Chicago, June 30.—If the rains continue a few days longer the damage to crops throughout the middle western and western states and the loss to the farmers will be beyond calculation," said Professor Cox of the United States weather bureau. While he was speaking reports were coming in showing that it was raining practically all over the middle west, and that many already flooded states were visited by an inch or more of rain in 24 hours. Corn fields, wheat fields, meadows, pastures and gardens have been turned into lakes and ponds. Only the most favorable kind of weather will save the agricultural communities from heavy loss.

One of the most disastrous floods in the history of Ohio has recently resulted from the heavy rains. It was estimated that 10,000 acres had been covered by the overflow of Wood river, which is three to six miles wide. Most of this land is either occupied by manufacturing interests or planted in crops. The greatest single loss, it is said, was the destruction of the plant of the store were pipe company at East Union. The loss is estimated at \$40,000. In East Union the residents were compelled to use stairs to get about the principal streets.

**Killed by a Tornado.**

Grandview, Ind., June 30.—Three people were killed in a tornado that passed over this town. They are Clarence G. McArthur, Theodore and Charles Laugel. The injured are Frank Gordon, Peter Wolfe and John Wolfe. The storm was the most severe that has ever visited this section. It spread out over two miles square. Trees and fences were blown down and the property loss was heavy. Thomas Burton was killed near London, Ky. Clarence Goetzke was 40 years old and one of the most prominent farmers of Posey county. He was killed while seated at the table eating the evening meal. The house was completely wrecked.

**Severe Rainstorm.**

St. Louis, June 30.—This city and vicinity is the center of a rainstorm of unprecedented severity. At times the storm equalled a cyclone. Considerable damage to the total estimated at \$20,000 resulted from the wind that accompanied the rain. The wind attained a velocity of about 55 miles an hour, blowing down trees, telegraph, telegraph and trolley poles, and interfering with communication of all sorts. From the country come reports of destruction and the washing out of railroad tracks and bridges. Five hundred feet of the north wall of the Varied Industries palace at the world's fair site have fallen as a result of the storm.

**Cold and Wet.**

Lincoln, Neb., June 30.—Eastern Nebraska has had four days of almost continuous rainfall, flooding corn fields and delaying the harvesting of small grain. Some damage has been done to wheat in the shock. Country roads are almost impassable. The temperature has ranged in the fifties. A year ago today the thermometer recorded 163.

**DEATH CASE****From Hydrophobia Before Relief Was Reached.**

Pittsburg, June 30.—James Iron, 31, a son of Montgomery parents, died last night on the H. & O. limited, of hydrophobia. He was being taken to Baltimore for treatment. He was bitten by a cat which was bitten last April by a mad dog.

**The Weather.**

Washington, June 30.—Ohio, fair to night; cooler in southwest portion; Tuesday, fair.

**BONFIRES****Will be Lighted all Over England Tonight****As Means of Rejoicing Over King's Improvement.****He is Now Believed to be Out of Danger, and Many Functions Which Had Been Arranged for Will be Enjoyed.**

London, June 30.—The latest bulletin issued from the palace reports that the king is progressing in every way satisfactorily, less local discomfort being noted.

Several postponed functions are being rearranged. Lord and Lady Lansdowne announced that their reception will be held July 1. The king has commanded that the Prince and Princess of Wales shall represent their majesties at the India office reception to be held July 4.

Lord Cranborne authorizes the following statement: "The king is rapidly getting better, and the moment, therefore, seems most appropriate for public rejoicing. As chairman of the bonfire committee I suggest that bonfires throughout the country be lighted Monday night."

**AN IMPROVEMENT****In the Royal Patient's Condition, But He is Kept Quiet.**

London, June 30.—King Edward continues to improve. He was lifted from bed to a couch for several hours and seemed benefited by the change. He sees no correspondence and is not approached on matters of state or business.

**WAR SHIP****Sent to Hayti to Protect American Interests.**

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**Remains of Jesse James.**

Kansas City, June 30.—Jesse James' body, which has been buried for 20 years in the dooryard of the old James homestead near Excelsior Springs, Mo., was disinterred and buried in the cemetery at Kearney, Mo., beside the body of his father and wife Mrs. Zerilda Samuels, mother of Jesse James; Frank James, his brother and Jesse and Mary, his son and daughter, attended the ceremony. A funeral service was held, and the pallbearers were comrades of Jesse James when all were members of Quantrell's band. When the skeleton of his father was dug up Jesse James, Jr., picked up the skull and pointed out the hole made by the bullet from Bob Ford's pistol.

**McKinley Tablet.**

Washington, June 30.—A small tablet of white marble, bearing in letters of gold a brief statement of the life and deeds of William McKinley, the tribute of his friend Judge Thomas H. Anderson, formerly of Ohio, but now a member of the District bench, was unveiled in the Metropolitan Methodist Episcopal church here. The unveiling was attended with simple ceremony. President Roosevelt and Secretary Cortelyou were present. Addresses were made by Rev. Frank Bristol, D. D., pastor of the church; Senator Fairbanks, Representative Grosvenor and Representative Robert W. Taylor of Ohio.

**FLEET****Of Government of Haiti****Made Attack****Upon the Revolutionists at Cape Haitien.****The Government Troops Also Attacked the Rebels on Land.****The Foreign Envoys Had Great Difficulty in Escaping From the City After Firing Had Commenced.**

Cape Haitien, Haiti, June 30.—Admiral Killeck, commander of the Haitian fleet, disembarked a further detachment of troops and a large quantity of ammunition for the better protection of General Firmin, one of the candidates for the presidency of the republic. There have been several lively engagements between the men from the fleet and the revolutionists from the north. Several machine guns were set up in a commanding position by General Firmin's forces, and an attempt was made to drive the men from the north from their position. Notwithstanding the fire from the machine guns, detachments of the northern revolutionists made several attacks on General Firmin's followers and the latter were eventually dislodged. Meantime the vessels under the command of Admiral Killeck were bombarding Cape Haitien. This action was taken without previous notification to the foreign consuls here. There has been a lively rain of shots down the streets of Cape Haitien all day long. At the moment of filing this dispatch the foreign consuls under the protection of their various flags are with General Firmin, and at about to embark on the government gunboat Oreste A. Pireot. They are under a rather heavy fire and in considerable danger. The foreign residents of this port are at present exposed to the lawlessness and savagery of the combatants. Deep regret is expressed that no warship of a foreign power is in the harbor to afford protection to foreign residents. Great excitement reigns here and as this dispatch is sent the firing in the street continues.

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**CLAM BAKE****By the Democrats of This State****Will Be a Unique Form of Entertainment Given Tomorrow at Columbus.**

Columbus, June 30.—A political gathering, unique in its character, will be held here July 1 under the auspices of the Young Men's Democratic club. It is popularly known as a state clam bake, the club having invited as guests Democratic leaders from every part of the state. In view of the discussion of an alleged cotillion for the leadership of the party it is interesting to note that John W. McLean has prepared an address to the Democracy, which will be read by President W. P. Huntington, while Mayor Tom L. Johnson has promised to come in person to deliver a speech. Other notable men, representing every shade of opinion in the party, have agreed to be present and make short talks to the assemblage. The exercises will be held at Beulah park.

**PLEA****Is Made for the Annexation of Cuba****In the Senate by Mr. Elkins, of West Virginia.****Growth of Sentiment Toward Such a Consummation is Traced From the Time Thomas Jefferson Favored it.**

Washington, June 30.—Mr. Elkins, of West Virginia, in the senate today, made his argument for the annexation of Cuba. He traced the growth of sentiment in this country, favoring Cuban annexation, from the time when Jefferson looked forward to such a consummation. He had offered a hundred million for Cuba in 1823, and the Democratic platform of 1860, favored annexation. In Garfield's time, \$200,000,000 was not thought too great a price to pay for the island. Continuing Mr. Elkins said: "No sufficient reason can be urged against annexation. It is to the interest of both countries."

**CENSUS****Will First Be Taken in the Philippines****Before the Natives Will Be Allowed to Govern Themselves****Urgent Philippine Business Made It Necessary to Delay Adjournment of Congress Until Tomorrow.**

Washington, June 30.—Congress may adjourn late today. The Republican conference on the Philippine civil government bill have reached an agreement, and are now going over the whole bill with their Democratic colleagues. It has been agreed to eliminate entirely both the senate and house provisions for censure in the Philippines. The house provision for native legislature has been accepted with an amendment providing that it should not take effect until after a census of the islands shall have been taken and its results communicated to the President and congress. An agreement on the naval appropriation bill and on the general deficiency appropriation bill the only two other measures outstanding, is expected during the day, so that congress in all probability will have completed its business before adjournment tonight.

**General Smith Sails.**

Manila, June 30.—Brigadier General Jacob H. Smith, formerly in command of the American forces on the island of Samar, who was recently tried by court-martial on charges preferred to good order and discipline, left here for San Francisco on the United States army transport Thomas. A large number of persons assembled to bid him farewell. All the newspapers of Manila have printed eulogies of General Smith.

**MILL****Which Will Soon be Erected****To Be Largest****Plant on the Earth For Treating Cotton****Ten Million Dollars Will Be Invested in This immense Concern.****Which Will Employ 4,000 Operators and Have an Annual Output of Over Twelve Million Dollars.**

Kansas City, June 30.—The largest cotton mill in the world is to be built within 20 miles of Kansas City. Ten million dollars is to be invested, \$3,000,000 of which has already been subscribed by eastern and western men. W. B. Smith Whaley, president of the Olympia and Granby cotton mills of Columbia, S. C., is to be president and general manager of the enterprise. The mill will have 500,000 spindles and 12,000 looms. It will employ 4,000 operatives and have a payroll of \$2,450,000 a year. The capacity of the mills will be 170,000 bales of cotton a year with an output of 75,000,000 pounds of finished cloth. The value of the annual output will, it is estimated, amount to \$12,750,000. The mill will be revolutionary in its construction. Electricity will be used as the motive power and several new devices will be installed.

**MEMBER****Of Parliament Marries Mrs. Langtry's Daughter.**

London, June 30.—Ian Malcolm, a member of parliament from Suffolk, and Jeanne Langtry, daughter of Lillian Langtry, the actress, were married at St. Margaret's church this afternoon. Among the bridesmaids was the daughter of Mrs. Francis Lengett, of New York city. The wedding presents were worth a king's ransom. They included a check for a substantial amount from Mrs. Langtry and gifts from most of the aristocracy of London.

**Live Stock Market.**

East Liberty, June 30.—Cattle firm, steady; hogs active; steady; sheep light; steady.

**Jealous Woman Shoots.**

Cleveland, June 30.—Mrs. Emma Carmichael Powell, better known as Blanche Montton, shot and instantly killed her husband John H. Powell, at their home on Hamilton street. It is said that jealousy over a second woman led to a quarrel, during which Mrs. Powell fired three shots into her husband's body, the last one being fatal, going through the man's heart.

**New Cathedral.**

Cleveland, June 30.—Trinity Episcopal cathedral, which was opened in 1855, was formally abandoned Sunday when impressive religious services were held in the edifice. A magnificent new cathedral is being erected on Euclid avenue. The site of the present church will soon be occupied by a business block.

**Fatal Quarrel.**

Cincinnati, June 30.—James Collins was killed by August Euseketter. They roomed together and quarreled before retiring, when the shooting was heard by the boarding house landlady. There were no witnesses. Euseketter escaped.

**Rescued at Sea.**

New York, June 30.—The Holland-American line steamer Rotterdam, which arrived here from Rotterdam and Boulogne, brought to port Captain M. A. Nielsen and 10 men, the crew of the Norwegian bark Bishop Brun, who were rescued at sea from their vessel, which was abandoned in a water-logged condition and on June 25. When rescued the men were in a destitute condition, having been exhausted by 10 days and nights' labor at the pumps keeping the water down.

**Gasoline Launch Burned.**

Bemidji, Minn., June 30.—The new gasoline launch Ranger, with 14 passengers on board, caught fire from a leaking gasoline tank on Lake Bemidji and was destroyed. All the passengers, including woman and children, jumped overboard and were saved.

**BIG BUNCH****Buckeye Postmasters Nominated****And Will be Confirmed by the Senate.****Among the List is Included Robert V. Jones, a Former Lima Man, Now Living in Sidney.**

Washington, June 30.—The president sent the following nominations to senate. Postmasters: Ohio—J. L. Clark, Kenton; Eliza B. Lockwood, Bedford; C. T. Lacost, Bryan, E. L. Vale, Columbus Grove; Charles J. Thompson, Defiance; John Vogt, Deshler; Alonso L. Jones, Greenville; Henry S. Buck, Leipsic; James H. Fisher, Marion; Robert F. Dent, Newcomerstown; Robert V. Jones, Sidney; William H. Frater, Upper Sandusky; Wilbert C. Davis, Wakarusa; William M. Scott, Canal Dover; James H. Fluhart, Continental; Harry W. Hawkins, Sycamore.

**SENIOR****Senator From Ohio Resumes Duties in Senate.**

Washington, June 30.—Senator Foraker, of Ohio, although a very sick man, did not keep to his bed today, and declared his intention of going to the senate, if his condition would permit. His trouble is abdominal and resembles peritonitis in a mild form.

**DAMAGE****In Indiana May Amount to Millions.****Recent Heavy Rains Played Havoc With Crops.****Bull Movement in Corn for September Delivery Was Started on 'Change in Chicago Today by Armour & Co.**

Indianapolis, June 30.—For the past 48 hours, almost without cessation, rain has poured down in central Indiana. That section of the state which was swept by the terrific storm of last week, when four lives were lost, and immense damage done, was again visited and any chance of the beaten crops rising from the ground, is hopeless. All Saturday night, throughout Sunday and all Sunday night the downpour continued. In the country districts near here, the wheat has been greatly damaged, and grain is said to be sprouting in boards instead of ripening. This is especially true of wheat and millions of dollars damage will be done in this state alone if the rain continues. The sky is still overcast.

**Cholera's Ravages.**

Manila, June 30.—According to official reports there have been in Manila up to date 1,740 cases of cholera and 1,385 deaths from the disease; the same reports for the provinces show 9,444 cases and 7,068 deaths. Lieutenant Colonel Louis Maus, the insular health commissioner, says that there probably have been 2,000 deaths from cholera in the provinces of which it has been impossible to get records.

**THIS AND THAT.****Grip Items of Information From Every Clime.**

Alliance between Germany, Austria-Hungary and Italy renewed in its original form.

General Jacob Smith reported to have been found guilty of violating rules of war in Samar.

Circulation of a false rumor caused a run on the Empire Savings bank at Buffalo. Bank declared solvent.

Clerk Frank Jones held at New York charged with misappropriating funds of National Commercial bank.

Jessie Morrison found guilty of murder in the second degree at Eldorado, Kan. Fought Mrs. Clara Wiley Castle with a razor. Love affair.

Petition presented to the senate by Estes G. Rathbone praying for investigation into his performance of duties as director of ports in Cuba.

President Roosevelt, it is reported, instructs Attorney General Knox to submit opinion as to whether the national coal combination constitutes an illegal trust.

**DOWN****To the Bottom of the Lake****Went the Barge****Carrying Captain and Crew With It****The Captain and Three Members of His Family Rescued****Along With Four of the Crew. But Six of Them Are Not Accounted For—A Tragedy in a Storm of Last Night.**

Sandusky, O., June 30.—Intelligence has been received here to the effect that the steam barge George Dunbar went down in a storm 10 miles east of Kelley's Island. The barge carried a crew of 10, and six of the crew are still unaccounted for. The captain, John Little of Port Huron, two women and a sailor have arrived at Kelley's Island in a yawl. When they reached shore, water over Kelley's Island the yawl capsized and the occupants were thrown into the water. The heavy seas washed them ashore and the people who were watching on shore took them in charge. So far as is known the four who were saved are the only survivors of the crew of 10. The Dunbar is a steam barge, 140 feet in length, it cleared from Cleveland Saturday morning with coal for Alpena. Captain Little is the owner of the boat. The missing men are Mate Martin Tuttle of Cleveland, Engineer Johnson of Buffalo, Wheelman Eck of Sheboygan, Fireman Charles Washburn and two men whose names are not yet learned. The rescued persons were Captain Little, his wife and two daughters. Captain Little devoted most of his efforts in saving the lives of his family. He did not see the crew after he left the vessel, and is of the opinion that if they took to a raft they must have perished, because no small craft could live in the sea that was raging at the time.

**EVACUATION****Of Cuba Has Already Begun by Americans.**

Havana, June 30.—Believing that the United States will not grant reciprocal concessions to Cuba, this congressional session a commercial evacuation on the part of Americans has begun. Armour & Co. and Swift & Co. have abandoned the field and other large American dealers in staple goods will follow suit.

**PATRIARCH'S DEED.****Slew His Aged Wife, Then Himself. Was Jealous.**

Sterling, Ill., June 30.—Henry Canfield of Morrison killed his wife, of whom he was jealous, and then took his own life. The discovery was made by a daughter of the dead couple, who entered their bedroom and found her parents lying dead on the floor side by side. The shock produced nervous prostration and her condition is now critical. The murderer and suicide was 75 years old and his wife 70. Mr. Canfield was jealous of his wife's actions. She looked young and happy and was a fluent conversationalist, while he was old and infirm.

**Great Auto Race.**

Vienna, June 30.—The Paris-Vienna automobile race was won by Marcel Renault. He covered the distance from Paris to Vienna in 15 hours and 23 minutes, at an average speed of 32 kilometers (51 miles) an hour. Zborowsky was second, Maurice Farman third, Baras fourth, Edmond fifth and Hemery sixth. Baron De Forest, who was seventh, was disqualified on account of an accident to his motor car. S. F. Edge, an Englishman, was the twentieth to arrive. He denies reports circulated to the effect that he was disqualified, and cites as proof that he was declared winner of the James Gordon Bennett cup.

**Streetscars Stopped.**

Pawtucket, R. I., June 30.—Streetscars were stopped and obstructions placed on the tracks by sympathizers of the striking motormen and conductors in this city and Central Falls. The heavy rain has made the police less vigilant than usual, and the attacks were a surprise. Two street railway men were hurt by missiles. After running 10 cars during the day the traction company took all of its cars.



## NEW

## Church was Dedicated in

## Wapakoneta

## Is One Any City Could be Proud of

## And Stands Today the Monument of a Year's Untiring Efforts.

## Wapakoneta "Reds" Met the First Defeat in Many Weeks Yesterday at Hands of a Team from Greenfield.

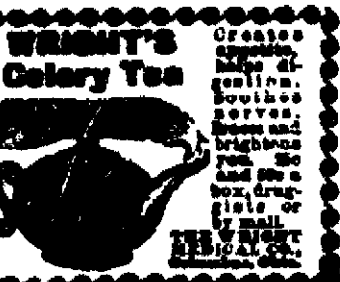
Wapakoneta, Ohio, June 30.—St. Paul's German Evangelical church was dedicated yesterday amid impressive ceremonies, beginning at 10 o'clock. Rev. W. H. Wertheim, of Springfield, preached the dedication sermon, and was assisted in the ceremonies by Rev. C. Fisher, of New Bremen, Rev. C. Schneider, of Sidney, Rev. W. Butner, of Troy, Rev. H. Katterjohann, of Kenton, Rev. W. Hauff, of Kettlersville, and Rev. Dr. Culler, Rev. Roberts and Rev. Lambert, of this city. The music for the occasion was furnished by the choir of St. Paul's church assisted by the choirs of St. Paul's church of St. Marys, and St. Peters church, of New Bremen. The afternoon services commencing at 2 o'clock were conducted by Rev. C. Schneider, assisted

## BOTTLE BABIES

Bottle babies are so likely to get thin. What can be done? More milk, condensed milk, watered milk, household mixtures—try them all. Then try a little Scott's Emulsion in the bottle.

It does for babies what it does for old folks—gives new, firm flesh and strong life. You'll be pleased with the result. It takes only a little in milk to make baby fat.

SCOTT & BOWNE, 108, East Street, New York.



by Rev. H. Katterjohann and Rev. C. Fisher. The morning service was entirely in German, afternoon service both German and English and the evening service entirely English. Following is the program of evening service:

Prayer and Bible Lesson.  
Rev. Dr. W. F. Wertheim, Springfield.  
Chorus.  
Choir of St. Paul's church, St. Marys.  
Address.  
Rev. Dr. Culler, Wapakoneta.  
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Chorus.  
Choir of St. Paul's church, St. Marys.  
Address.  
Rev. Dr. Culler, Wapakoneta.  
Chorus.  
"Come Let Us Sing" J. A. Park.  
Offertory.  
Prayer and Benediction.

Rev. H. Katterjohann, Kenton. This church is now one of the finest in northwestern Ohio and has been made so by the expenditure of \$15,000, and more than a year's hard work. John Taesch, C. W. Timmermeister and Lewis Snyder, were highly praised for their faithful and loyal work. While it was intended to remodel the church it has practically been rebuilt, the interior has been entirely changed, the choir now occupying a better position, and the old pipe organ has been replaced by a new one. The seats are arranged in a circular form around the altar and 600 persons can be comfortably seated in the auditorium. The first services were held in the church Pentecost Sunday.

## REDS DEFEATED.

Yesterday was a cold day and the Wapakoneta Reds were almost snowed under by the ball players from Greenfield. Frank Sealts, Roy Sealts and Cassidy, from Lima, failed to turn up, and without their support all Wapak could draw from the pack was a three spot. Wallace, of St. Marys, and Welsh, of Lima, were put on as substitutes, and Wallace's record was four errors. Charlie Penning pitched a good game, well guarded by Miller, but the support was poor, very poor. Following is the score:

123456789  
Greenfield—000240200.....8  
Wapakoneta—000001020.....3

Batteries, Greenfield, Lynch and Denny; Wapak, Penning and Miller. Hits, Greenfield, 8; Wapak, 3. Bases on balls, Wapak, 3; hit by ball, Wapak, 2. Struck out, Greenfield, 4; Wapak, 7. Errors, Greenfield, 3; Wapak, 8. Umpire, Jacob Rinehart.

## RE-APPOINTMENT.

The friends of Bert Davis, the genial postmaster, are today congratulating him on his re-appointment which

was made known yesterday morning. Bert Davis was his opponent and his friends had been claiming the appointment for him for a long time.

## PERSONAL.

Frank Schaeffer spent last evening in St. Marys with friends.

Mr. T. W. Blackburn and son Leslie, of Cridersville, visited friends and relatives here yesterday.

Miss Edna Shaffer has returned home after a visit with friends at Buckland.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Roberts, of Portland, Oregon, spent a few days the past week with H. W. Taesch and family.

## A Terrible Explosion

"Of a gasoline stove burned a lady here frightfully," writes N. E. Palmer, of Kirkman, Ia. "The best doctors couldn't heal the running sore that followed, but Bucklen's Arnica Salve entirely cured her." Infallible for Cuts, Corns, Sores, Boils, Bruises, Skin Diseases and Piles. 25c at H. F. Vorkamp's, corner North and Main street.

## CUT STONE WORK.

I am prepared to do all kinds of cut stone work. Parties wishing stone (not artificial) walks, can address B. M. Steugh, 664 West Elm Street, Lima, Ohio. 194-4

CATARRH CANNOT BE CURED with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years, and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists. 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

## NOTICE TO ICE MEN.

Sealed bids will be received by the City Clerk until 12 noon, June 30th, 1902, for the purpose of supplying ice to the following places and during the time mentioned: At the North, South and Central Fire Depts., 15 lbs. daily from July 1st to Nov. 1st, 1902. Police station, 25 pounds daily, from July 1st to Nov. 1st, 1902. City Clerk and Engineers offices, 15 lbs. each, daily, except Sunday, from July 1st to November 1st, 1902. Council chamber, 10 lbs each Monday 6 p. m., for one year, beginning July 1st, 1902.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

By order of City Council  
FRED C. BEAM,  
City Clerk.

Hundreds of lives saved every year by having Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the house just when it is needed. Cures croup, heals burns, cuts, wounds of every sort.

## Shocked Spain's King

For the first time in history a ruler of Spain has found no pleasure in the national sport of bullfighting, and he has even gone so far as to express horror at the cruel exhibition.

The spectacle that revolted the young and sensitive soul of Don Alfonso XIII. was a strange and fantastic one. In the Plaza del Toros, in the midst of the treeless, dusty, sun parched plain of Madrid, the beauty and the chivalry of



THE BULL CHARGED THE HALBERDIERS. Spain had gathered in a dazzling array to witness a match to the death between human skill on the one hand and blind brute strength on the other.

The special feature of the occasion was to be a contest between three bulls and three Spanish noblemen, officers of the army in active service. The animals had been bred especially for the sport and were fresh from the pastures of the Duke of Veragua, a descendant of Christopher Columbus. The men had volunteered in the service of the king for the revival of an ancient form of sport that in one of the celebrated fights of history ten knights were gored to death by the bulls before the animals had found their deaths at the points of the caballeros' lances.

The king as president of the ring threw into the arena a golden key which was to open the door of the temporary prison in which the bulls were penned.

Then a creaking sound was heard. A heavy, thick set door swung on its hinges, and a magnificent specimen of a bull which had been kept in utter darkness for several hours before darted into the arena, tearing up the white sand with its hoofs and holding its head low, ready for a charge. For a moment the bewildered animal hesitated, and then, with a bellow, he rushed to the center of the arena. The caballero, sitting lightly upon his white courser, darted toward the animal, hurled a short lance into the bull's neck and wheeled aside to avoid the onslaught. The bleeding bull, however, turned in the same direction and ripped his horns into the flank of the caballero's horse. A profound murmur, something like a groan, rippled through the multitude. The king and the women of the court strained forward with flushed faces in the intensity of their emotion. A moment later the horse, snorting loudly and bleeding at the flanks, wrenched free of the cruel horns and fled across the arena.

Then a new danger appeared. The bull, baffled of its prey, dashed in the direction of the "Gate of Madrid," a broad outlet just beneath the royal box, which is left open whenever noble toreros are engaged in the presence of royalty. The guarding of this gate is looked upon as a great honor and is entrusted to the royal halberdiers, a company recruited solely from the nobility. These men, standing motionless in the doorway, pointed their short, stout halberds at the animal. Madly the excited bull rushed upon this opening, but turned swiftly away as he came upon the glittering points of the weapons. Just as he scampered off he was wounded in the hind quarter, and before he had time to recover from the shock a second horseman, dashing up, planted a lance deep into his neck.

A shout like the roar of a tempest burst from the spectators. The king applauded with all his might clapping his white gloved hands, and the women of the court waved their handkerchiefs. Before the sound had waned the caballero on the white horse, which was now bleeding profusely, careered along and as he sped by pierced the animal with his lance. Then two toreros advanced, beguiling and wearying the bull, which, rushing upon his human enemy, was caught by a mere red cloth thrown over its head. By the time the bull had received the fifth lance in his neck and the white steed had been wounded twice the edge was taken off the keen thrust for violent emotions. Another torero unfolded his red cloth and waved it to and fro until the bull swooped down upon him. A moment later he was sprawling in the

## Bull-Fight That Sickened Spanish Ruler

sand, seemingly gored by the infuriated animal.

A long, low wave of horror swept from one end of the inclosure to the other, but the toreros were too quick for the triumphant steer. They sprang to the spot in a twinkling, turned the bull's attention from his victim, and the next moment the prostrate bull-fighter rose without assistance, limped slightly across the ring and bounded over the barrier. He had not been even wounded during the brief scuffle in the sand. In the meanwhile the strength of the baffled beast had been completely exhausted by his fruitless rushes from one side of the arena to the other. He lay for a moment, with a low, bellowing sound; then his fore legs gave way, he dropped on the sand, and the knife, wielded by a dexterous hand, put a speedy end to his agony.

The ring then was cleared for the next victim. Before the caballeros had returned to the arena the trumpet sounded another fanfare. At a sign made by the king with his white handkerchief the heavy studded door again cracked and swung open, and a black bull dashed into the ring. The glitter of the level halberds in the gate of Madrid attracted him. Swaying his head low from side to side, the maddened animal ran straight up the ranks of the halberdiers. Several of the halberds were broken by the impact, and the points of two were protruding from the side of the animal as it turned away, bellowing with pain.

Again he charged, and yet the third time, only to be met, as before, by the shining steel. At last the horseman galloped in, his superb white courser still bleeding from his wounds. The delay of the caballeros and the serious wounding of the bull by the halberdiers had angered the spectators, who hissed and groaned and whistled their discontent. The lance-man on the white charger made the first onslaught and deftly drove his lance into the bull's neck, but before he could get away the horse was still further disabled by another wound in the flank. The bull after that stood listless and faint and made little effort to defend himself, and the king gave the signal that the animal was to be killed by one of the novices of the noble toreros.

The young torero in his picturesque medieval costume approached the royal box, saluted almost in the manner of the Moors and in a short speech dedicated the forthcoming death of the bull to his sovereign. Then followed a spectacle which will never be effaced from the memory of those who saw it. The torero, who was the merest novice, after dazing the animal with his red capote, plunged his gleaming blade of Toledo steel into the thick neck.

The stroke was so successful that a storm of hisses broke from the ring. North by his failure, the caballero again made a pass with his sword, inflicting a still more awkward blow. Groans and hisses greeted his second attempt, which was followed by another equally unsuccessful. Although the madness had died out of the capote, the brute's eyes and his fore legs were bending under him, the luckless torero was utterly unable to put him out of his pain. Grasping a short, sharp knife and fixing a blind aim, he then plunged it into the scaly neck. Yells, groans, shrieks and hisses expressed the anger of the crowd at the fourth miserable failure. The torero made another unsteady attempt and succeeded in sheathing his blade in the bull's neck. The animal stood still for a moment, then tottered forward and fell a lifeless mass upon the moist sand.

Don Alfonso, who at the end of each display had rewarded the toreros not only with applause, but also with various presents rolled up in packets which he dexterously flung into the ring, hurried something rolled up in a white



THE HORSEMAN PLUNGED A LANCE IN THE BULL'S NECK.

handkerchief to the discouraged torero. The carcass of the second bull was dragged out by the lancing mules, and another animal was let into the arena to be slain at the hands of a Spanish nobleman. This again was followed by six other bulls, which were killed, each in its turn, by professional bullfighters after half a dozen horses had been gored to death.

Such was the great bullfight which elicited from Don Alfonso the exclamation, "It is cruel!" and which may be the last great bullfight in the history of Spain.

## ECZEMA

is due to the retention in the system of Uric Acid or other inflammatory poisons which find their way into the blood, and are forced by the circulation through the glands and pores of the skin, causing it to burn like fire, and the incessant itching allows no rest night or day. Eczema appears in a great many different forms, beginning frequently as a mere redness of the skin, followed by little blisters or pimples, from which a clear or straw colored matter oozes, forming into sores, scales or scabs; this is weeping Eczema, commonly called Salt Rheum. These acid poisons sometimes dry up the natural oils and the skin becomes hard and dry, often cracking and bleeding and causing intense pain and fearful itching. This form of Eczema is known as Tetter, and oftenest attacks the hands and feet. Unsightly eruptions in the shape of pimples and blackheads break out upon the face, neck and shoulders as a result of polluted blood, and this humiliating disease is called Acne. Local remedies afford but scant relief. The blood and system being saturated with the poison, the disease cannot be reached with washes, salves, powders or other local applications. S. S. S. restores the deteriorated blood to its normal condition, stimulates the sluggish organs, and all the waste matter is eliminated through the proper channels. S. S. S. makes the blood rich and strong, and under its tonic and invigorating effects the general health improves, and the skin becomes soft and smooth again.

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If you have not paid for the first half of the year 1902, it will be well for you to do so before the 20th day of July, if you wish to continue the use of the city water after that date. The present supply of water compels the trustees to economize, as much as possible, and they have decided to furnish water only to those who comply with the rules and regulations of the water works.

Please attend to this without further notice, and do not find fault with the officers, if the water is turned off from your premises, for either non-payment of water rent, unnecessary waste of water or for sprinkling out of hours. Sprinkling hours, are from 8 o'clock to 8 o'clock a. m. and from 5 to 8 p. m. By order of the board of trustees, J. N. HUTCHINSON, secretary.

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## QUIET

**June Wedding Is Witnessed**

**In South Lima**

**Another Is Announced To Occur.**

**Many Interesting Discoveries Heard in South Lima Yesterday.**

**Special Services for the Foresters at Grace M. E. Church—C. K. of O. Officers Installed. Personal.**

Miss Sarah Street, of south Main street, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Street was married Saturday evening to Charles S. Harding, a well known young man, employed in the local oil fields. For the present they will reside on south Main street.

**Wedding Announcement.**  
The betrothal of matrimony between Miss Rosina K. Reese and William A. Smith was announced for the first time at St. Johns church yesterday. Both are estimable young persons of south Lima.

**Officers Installed.**  
Branch No. 82 Catholic Knights of Ohio assembled in St. Johns hall yesterday afternoon for installation of officers. Rev. F. G. Rupert acted as installing officer and performed the duties admirably. The officers are: I. M. Amstutz, president; Joseph Kasper, vice president; J. M. O'Connor, financial secretary; J. J. Malloy, treasurer; James Pagan, recording secretary; Trustees—Joseph Pilsch, Thomas Hughes, Patrick Kearney, Samuel L. J. Allenbach.

**Important Meetings.**  
The entertainment committee will meet in St. Johns hall this evening. Thursday evening there will be an important meeting of the Ancient Order of Hibernians.

**Thanksgiving Services.**  
The Foresters of Lima will attend services in a body at Grace M. E. church next Sunday morning when Rev. W. J. Hagerman will deliver a discourse appropriate to the occasion. This is not a memorial event, but a thanksgiving service as not a single death has occurred in the lodge membership since its institution here.

**Strange Pastor.**  
Rev. W. A. Smith of Chicago, Ill., spoke at both services in the south Main street Presbyterian church yesterday. He is a candidate for the pulpit which is vacant. His sermons made favorable impressions.

**German Sermons.**  
A large audience composed of persons from all portions of the city heard and appreciated Rev. F. G. Rupert's German sermon at St. Johns church yesterday morning. These sermons are being delivered by special request.

**Quarterly Meeting.**  
Both services at Grace church were largely attended yesterday. In the morning J. M. Mills delivered an excellent sermon upon the occasion of the fourth quarterly meeting. He also administered the sacrament of communion. At the evening meeting Rev. Stewart Baumgardner, district evangelist and former pastor of Grace church, preached in a forceful manner one of his characteristically ringing sermons. The members of the South Lima Mission had an opportunity of hearing Dr. Mills last night and received from him the communion.

**Statue Dedicated.**  
A large congregation witnessed the dedicating of the statue of the virgin at St. Johns church last night. Rev. F. G. Rupert conducted the impressive ceremonies and delivered an opportune address. The beautiful statue is a valuable donation from Nicholas Kell, of Broadway.

**Societies Meet.**

The Ladies' Aid society of Grace church will meet there Wednesday afternoon.

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**Travelers.**  
O. J. Rose, of Broadway, has returned from Cincinnati, where he attended the obsessions of a relative. Miss Edith Barringer of Greenlawn avenue, has returned from Chicago, Ill., where she was the guest of her brother T. L. Barringer and wife. They are the proud parents of a charming baby girl that came recently to and happiness to their home.

Charles C. Carey, a well known business man of Ada, called upon friends on St. Johns avenue yesterday. G. A. Herrett, of south Elizabeth street, returned last night from Hillsdale, Mich., where he visited his wife who is spending several weeks there. William Johnson, of Ada has taken a position in south Lima.

C. S. Allenbach of Cleveland, is being entertained by Col. Kuntz, of south Main street.

William Morris, of Sandusky, enroute to Wapakoneta, called upon H. D. Clark, of south West street, today. S. F. D. Turke, of Beaver Dam, spent Sunday with James McKinnon, and family.

Harry Maxwell and family spending several weeks with friends and relatives here left today for their home at Oil City, Pa.

Frederick Colvert has returned from Hillsdale, Michigan.

Mrs. Marshall of Findlay is the guest of her mother Mrs. Wickersham, on south Main street.

Mrs. John Mohr, of south West street, is home from a pleasant stay with relatives at Greenville.

Mrs. W. J. Hagerman of south Elizabeth street, returned today from a several days visit with relatives at Dunkirk.

Miss Harriet Clippinger spent Sunday with friends at Toledo.

## NOVEL ELECTRIC CAR.

Driven by a Storage Battery—To Run on Rails or Common Roads.

H. L. Stillman, treasurer of the American Automobile Wheel company, of New York has been in Bolton, near Worcester, Mass., several days looking for a place to build an electric road, says the New York Tribune. Mr. Stillman went over the road from Stow to Bolton and was much pleased with it. He is planning to build a road in this section. He is looking for a place about ten miles long on which to lay the new Edison and Stillman electric road. The cost of building this road on an ordinary highway is \$2,000 a mile. Each car has a storage battery, and no overhead wire is used.

Mr. Stillman is the inventor of the wheels that will be used on the system. Each wheel has two rubber tires and is made so it can run either on a rail or on a common highway. He is also the inventor of the rail that will be used. It is light, six inches wide, and can be used either side up.

Mr. Stillman is enthusiastic over his inventions. He says the greatest efficiency in the Stillman wheel is in its adhesion to steel rails. It is well known that a car drive wheel operating on a steel rail requires a weight of not less than two tons to secure sufficient adhesion to prevent slipping, while in the Stillman wheel an equal adhesion is secured in less than one-half a ton. Electric cars weigh from eight tons upward. Locomotives weigh much more. A car of two tons weight can be made sufficiently large to carry as many passengers as the electric car weighing eight tons by using the new wheel.

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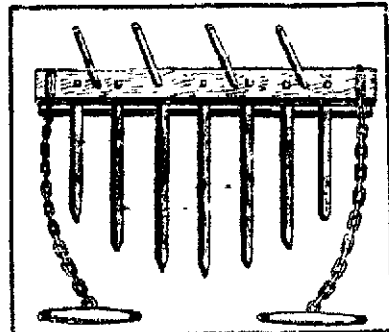
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## FARM GARDEN

### HAYING TOOLS.

"Go-Devil" For Hauling—Stack Pro- tector Used on an Alfalfa Farm.

The implement here shown for hauling hay from the windrow to the stack is described by an Ohio Farmer correspondent as follows: The name it goes by here is the "go-devil." To make one get three joists 8 inches wide and 12 feet long, four scantlings 2 by 4; cut the 2 by 4 in different lengths from four to seven feet long; take seven of these pieces and sharpen one end so that they will pass under the hay and not catch in the ground; lay one of the twelve foot pieces down for the head;



"GO-DEVIL" FOR HAULING HAY.

cut two pieces one foot long and lay one at each end of the long joist. Then lay on the seven teeth, placing the long one in the middle and the shortest ones at the end, then the others between the middle and the end ones. Then fit pieces from the eight inch joist between the teeth as tight as possible; then lay the other joist on top of the teeth; bore holes through the upper and lower joist and the teeth; put good stout bolts through them and the teeth.

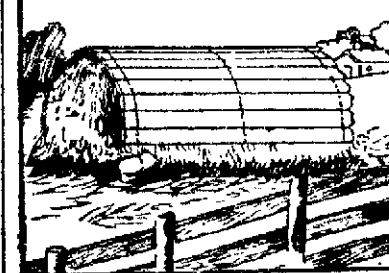
At the end, outside of the teeth, shove a collar round so that a chain can work loose on it and not slip off the end. Bore a few two inch holes in the head and put in stakes to prevent the hay slipping off behind. Fasten a chain or rope ten feet long to each end; hitch a horse to each end; let a boy ride each horse; go to the end of the windrow; have a man to stand on the "go-devil" to manage it; start the horses along the windrow until you get a load, then draw it to the stack; turn the horses and pull it backward until it is clear of the load.

Of the second arrangement here figured another correspondent of the Journal mentioned says:

Alfalfa hay will not turn the rain, no matter how well topped out a stack may be. Where alfalfa hay is raised extensively it is necessary to cover the stacks in some way or to top them out with some kind of hay or grass that will shed the rain. We recently saw a stack cover used on an alfalfa farm which the owner said was equal in keeping the hay to storing in a barn or mow.

The covers are made of ten inch boards in sections six, eight, ten or twelve feet long, as suits the purpose and convenience. The boards are laid, beginning at the top of the stack, so that the upper overlaps the one just below, and all are held in place by being stapled to pieces of No. 12 smooth wire, one wire within a few inches of the ends of the boards and as many between as may be thought necessary. With the shorter sections the end wires are sufficient. These wires go on the outside of the boards and are left long enough at the four corners to fasten on a weight to keep the cover in place.

The use of weights is much better than staking down, as the settling of the stacks will not cause the roof to



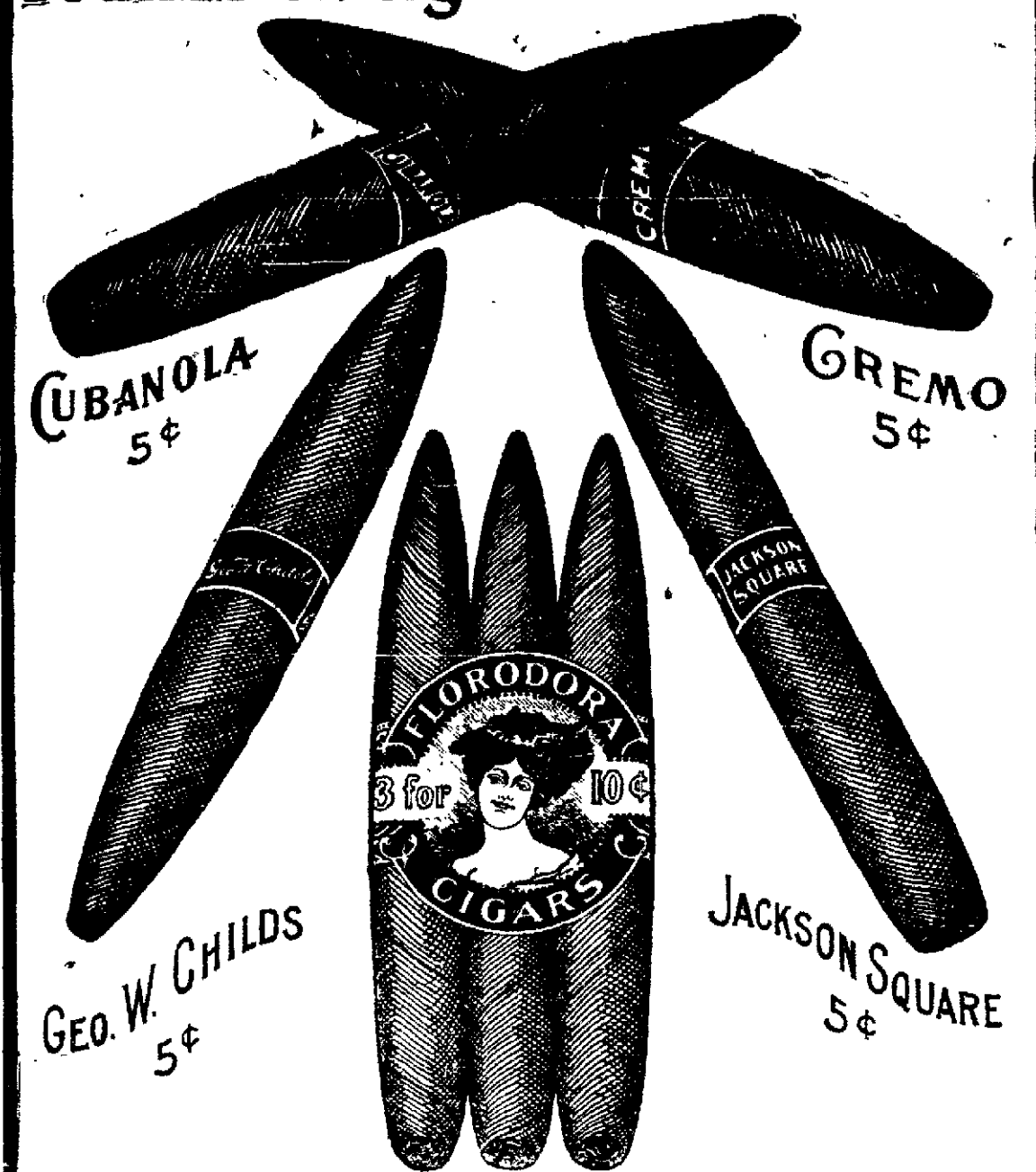
A STACK COVER.

become less solidly in place. Painting the boards will preserve them, and if rolled up and stored in the dry or laid on logs to keep from getting damp when not in use they will last for years. In taking down a stack but one section need be removed at a time, thus exposing but a small portion of the stack. In getting the stack ready for putting on the cover do not top out with a high center, but put on only a well rounded top.

### The Good Feeder.

Every part of the body of an ideal beef animal shows quality. It is this that tells the farmer whether a steer with a good form will prove a profitable feeder. It tells the butcher whether the animal will kill well. This is a point that cannot be overlooked and is difficult to describe. Lack of it shows in a coarse, fleshy head, in a thick, twenty throat and a rough, uneven shoulder. Coarse, heavy bones and a loose jointed appearance generally will show the undesirable feeder; rough flesh, "ties" and "patches," the undesirable killer. The ideal animal handles well. The flesh is mellow and firm, showing a proper mixture of fat and lean. The skin is loose, but not superfluous, mellow and moderately thick, covered with a plentiful growth of hair. Such an animal usually weighs 1,500 pounds at twenty-four to thirty months.

## The largest selling brands of Cigars in the world!



One Band from "FLORODORA" Cigars or Two Bands from "CUBANOLA," "CREMO," "GEO. W. CHILDS" or "JACKSON SQUARE" Cigars are of same value as one Tag from "STAR," "HORSE SHOE," "SPEAR HEAD," "STANDARD NAVY" or "J. T." Tobacco.

### PLAIN PROOF.

A Statement of Facts by a Lima Citizen.

It is an easy matter for every Lima reader to verify the following. The statement is made by a resident who can be seen at any time and who will gladly tell you about her experience with Doan's Kidney Pills.

Mrs. M. C. Routson, of 242 south Pine street, says: "In the summer of 1886 I procured Doan's Kidney Pills at W. M. Melville's drug store and took a course of treatment. My kidneys and back for years caused me untold suffering. Doan's Kidney Pills cured me. Today I have had no reason to change my opinion for during the time which has elapsed, I have been free from kidney complaints or any of its consequences."

For sale by all dealers: price 50c a box. Foster-McBirney Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no substitute.

### Change in President's Signature.

Stress of business and the death of time will lead to a change in President Roosevelt's signature, says the Pittsburgh Dispatch. He has always been accustomed to write out his first name in full, but he finds that it will save him about 50 per cent of time and trouble to make it simply T. Roosevelt. Where a man has to sign his name about one thousand times a day it makes a big difference. There is a man in the office of the auditor for the postoffice department at Washington who, it is said, owes his appointment largely to the fact that his signature contains but five letters. He is Second Deputy Auditor N. Chew. He does little but sign his name, and he does that for about eight hours a day steadily.

### Novelty For the Summer Girl.

Here is a new variety of the shirt waist set. There are three buttons, with a larger disk for a belt pin. They are flat and round, in gold or silver plated, and in the center of each button is an initial. It is a further marking of the summer girl for identification, says the New York Times. She may have the initial of her first or last name upon the buttons, as she pleases. The set costs \$1.50.

### It's the well spring of joy.

The center around which happy home life centers. Rocky Mountain Tea. That great family remedy that makes home happy. H. F. Vorkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

### REDUCED FARES.

Chance for trips via Pennsylvania Lines at Small Cost.

In addition to local excursions and reduced fares authorized for various events, the following opportunities are offered for trips via Pennsylvania Lines at special rates:

To Minneapolis, Minn., July 5th, to 7th, inclusive, account National Educational Association.

To Tacoma, Wash., or Portland, Ore., July 15th to 20th, inclusive, account Annual Meeting Y. P. C. U., Society of United Presbyterian church.

To San Francisco or Los Angeles, Cal., August 1st to 7th, inclusive, account Biennial Meeting, Knights of Pythias.

To Salt Lake, Utah, August 6th to 8th, inclusive, account Annual Reunion, Grand Lodge B. P. O. E.

For information about fares and other details, apply to Ticket Agents of Pennsylvania Lines.

### CASTORIA.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature

of J. C. Fitch

The fellow who owns a Panama hat does a lot of talking through it.

My little son had an attack of whooping cough and was threatened with pneumonia; but for Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, we would have had a serious time of it. It also saved him from several severe attacks of croup.

—H. J. Strickland, editor World-Herald, Fair Haven, Wash. For sale by Wm. M. Melville, old post office corner.

### BEST FOR THE BOWELS

If you haven't a regular, healthy movement of the bowels every day, you're ill or will be. Keep your bowels open, and be well. Force in the shape of violent physic or pill poison is dangerous. The smooth, easy, most perfect way of keeping the bowels clear and clean is to take

CANDY CATHARTIC

Keep Your Bowels Clean

During the summer kidneys irregularities are often caused by excessive drinking for being overworked. Attend to the kidneys at once by using Foley's Kidney Cure. For sale by H. F. Vorkamp, corner North and Main streets.

\$1.50 To Detroit and Return. \$1.50.

Sunday, July 22nd, via Detroit Southern R. R. Sunday special leaves Wayne street station at 6:00 a. m., arriving at Detroit 11:30 a. m.

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## Ath-lo-pho-ros

**Stops Rheumatism**

Sold by all Druggists. Send for Free Book to  
The Athlophoros Co., New Haven, Conn.



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BOTH PHONES ..... NO. 84.

## ENGLAND ABLAZE WITH THOUSANDS OF BONFIRES.

The patriotic and king loving people of England are preparing to rejoice all over the length and breadth of the land that the king has sufficiently recovered from his recent critical illness to allow his subjects to believe that he will ultimately recover. One week ago all true Britons was in mourning over King Edward's illness. That sorrow has now turned to joy in the minds of the mercurial people and tonight the entire kingdom will be ablaze with thousands of bonfires lighted everywhere as a signal of rejoicing over the improvement in the king's condition.

## TRYING TO FOOL THE PEOPLE.

The country is beginning to understand that the Roosevelt administration is not earnest in its pretense of prosecuting the meat trust and that the whole business is a sham. Ex-Senator David B. Hill put the matter in a very plain light when he stated in his speech a few nights ago that "acting upon the assumption that the trusts should be prosecuted by their friends and not by their enemies, the national administration was at last constrained to institute some civil suits to test the efficacy of the Sherman act. What has been the net result? A few temporary injunctions have been obtained with the consent of the trusts themselves, or at least with little or no opposition, which in general terms restrain the trusts from violating the terms of the Sherman act, which they expressly deny they have violated or are now violating."

This is a fact that cannot be disputed, for the people who have been plundered by the beef trust have observed that no criminal prosecutions have been instituted, the robbers have not been indicted for grand larceny, no prison doors have been thrown open for them and the injunctions will not be made permanent for a year or more to come, if ever. With the election only a few months ahead of us, for Congressmen in all the States, there is no reason to believe that the magnates of the beef trust will ever be censured, but on the contrary it is quite probable that in return for liberal contributions to the Republican campaign fund they will be forgiven and told to go and sin some more after the elections are over.

It seems to be the hope of the Roosevelt administration that when the votes are cast in November the agitator will die out and the consumers of beef become used to the outrageously high prices and be content to suffer in silence. It is fair to assume that had the administration been sincere in its prosecution of the beef trust it would not have allowed that combine the whole summer in which to reap a harvest from the pockets of the people as well as giving it ample time to corral all the cattle in the country and enable it to dictate prices for another whole year. The truth is, that under Republican rule such anti-trust laws as are on the statute books are so interpreted and distorted that they do not only fail to suppress plundering combines, but actually furnish protection to them.—New Orleans States.

## THE EMPTY DINNER PAIL.

It is preparing to go to war against the Party of Trench.

The congressional elections this year are likely to be largely affected by the attitude of the dinner pail voter in eastern and northern districts. In the presidential elections of 1896 and 1900 these men were coddled and deceived into the support of "the advance agents of prosperity" and promised their reward in "the full dinner pail."

A sudden and expensive war came along opportunely to boom agricultural products and manufactures, and the effects of it were quite filling for awhile to the dinner pail. But now the reduction of war demands, the effects of overproduction in many lines of factoring, the peace in South Africa and in Europe at large and the growing demands of the trusts, led by the beef trust notably, are causing the dinner pail to feel a goodness that excites the study and indignation of the workingman.

Also there are strikes developing all along the line of American industries, and these are helping the dinner pail to reduce its former fatness and simultaneously causing the carrier of it to realize that much of his prosperity, like the gamster's winnings, has gone back over the layout into the dealer's bank roll. He now suspects that he was clerically baited for a season only to be robbed the easier of his earnings and made more glibly to the future bunko devices of the trusts and monopolies.

It is being shown by the statistics of the labor bureau of the government that 15,000,000 wage earners in America average only about \$400 each per year and have two dependents to provide for out of that sum. That gives \$11.11 per month to each beneficiary, and half of that only is available for food, a sum that allows but 6 cents per cent to each person. That is prosperity with a vengeance! Imagine the fullness of the dinner pail that has only 6 cents with which to purchase the filling, and beef at 30 cents a pound!

No wonder the Republican campaign managers are beginning to tremble at the coming tides of November, and less wonder that they are warning the trusts that it will cost more cash to carry the country this fall than it has ever cost before. The empty dinner pail is preparing to go on the warpath!—Atlanta Constitution.

A Democratic House Needed. With the increased representation in the next house of congress it will require 104 members to make a majority. There are now 130 Democrats in the house, so that, presuming all of their seats will be retained in the elections of this year, the Democrats will still need to gain thirty-eight new members in order to have a majority.

The question the Democratic campaign managers have to agree on is

where they can most surely make fights with the prospect of winning those thirty-eight seats. A careful review of the votes cast at the election of 1900 shows that there are many more than thirty-eight congressional districts as they are now formed, and in spite of recent Republican gerrymanders, in which the Democrats have fighting chances against majorities ranging from 10 votes to 700 votes.

With the dissatisfaction that is pervading Republican ranks in the west, with the great strikes on in the east and with the beef trust revolt affecting the people in every part of the country the Democrats feel that the current is with them and that they may fairly expect to win the majority of the next house.

It will be worth while to give the Republicans a battle to the last ditch in every doubtful district in the Union. There is need for Democratic control of the house of representatives to the end that a strong scotch may be put upon the extravagances of the Republicans and a rather on the heading career of an administration equally indifferent to the popular will and the constitution of the nation.—Atlanta Constitution.

## An Inspiring Indorsement.

Mr. Quay of Pennsylvania in the platform which he adopted at his state convention in Harrisburg the other day warmly commended President Roosevelt's administration.

Mr. Quay gives the president his "heartfelt approval and support," for the reason that, in Mr. Quay's judgment, "he is strong in conviction, wise in action, thoroughly American, of high and patriotic ideals, and his leadership establishes confidence both in the success of Republican principles and in the continued prosperity of the country." Consequently Mr. Quay waxes more of the same and formally pledges himself to Mr. Roosevelt's "re-nomination to the great office which he has filled with such ability and patriotism."

This is not only most flattering to the president, but reassuring to the country.

When the pure hand of Matthew Stanley Quay raises aloft the banner of a candidate, it is of course a guarantee to mankind that that candidate stands for whatever is best in politics and statesmanship.

Every friend of the president's ambition to succeed himself must hope that between now and 1904 Mr. Quay will manage to keep out of jail and retain the leadership of the Roosevelt campaign, which he has assumed so early and with such heartfelt enthusiasm.—New York Journal and American.

10 boxes matches for 50 at Watson's.

Pipeworks at Green's.

## DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Member of Congress,  
CHARLES H. ADKINS.

For Circuit Judge,  
CALEB H. NORRIS,  
of Marion County.

For County Auditor,  
GEORGE FELTZ.

For Clerk of the Courts,  
M. J. SULLIVAN.

For Probate Judge,  
A. D. MILLER.

For Prosecuting Attorney,  
Wm. KLINGER.

For County Recorder,  
P. T. MELL.

For County Commissioner,  
WILLIAM J. JUDKINS.

For Infirmary Director,  
DAVID STEPLETON.

## THE IDLER.

A quiet wedding took place yesterday afternoon at the pastor's residence, when Rev. A. D. Wolfinger joined Mr. Gustav M. Graf, of Wapakoneta and Miss Ella Kock, of this city, in holy wedlock. The parties enjoyed the congratulations of a host of friends.

Arthur Stuke, a popular south side young man, returned home yesterday morning from Oil City, Pa., accompanied by his charming bride. They have taken possession of the home, prepared in advance by the groom, on South Union street.

The Elks' carnival boosting committee will visit Van Wert this evening and will visit Delphos Wednesday evening.

The committees appointed from the congregation of St. Johns church to make arrangements for the Fourth of July picnic to be held at the Fair grounds are sparing no pains or efforts to make the affair a big success. There will be many attractions and amusements on the grounds, sufficient to make the entire lay an enjoyable one to all who attend.

Will Dunn and Phil Minsch have purchased the cafe in the Fisk block on north Main street and have re-furnished the place throughout, making it one of the neatest barrooms in the city. Both of the young proprietors are popular among a host of friends and all wish them success in their new venture.

"Fat" Taffinger, of the north side fire department, went to Kenton today to visit a popular young society belle of that city and his fellow members of the fire department say he will not return in single harness.

## ANTHRACITE STRIKE.

Neither Side Shows a Disposition to Weaken—Mitchell's Mission.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., June 30.—The beginning of the eighth week of the anthracite miners' strike shows no change in the situation. At President Mitchell's headquarters national board member John Fallon is in charge during Mr. Mitchell's absence in the west. Mr. Fallon said that the miners were just as determined as ever and unless there was arbitration the strike is destined to go on. The national board members also denied that there was any suffering among the strikers. He said so far there was no privation, and not likely to be any for a long time to come. The local operators seem to be a unit in saying that a break in the strikers' ranks may come any time now. This belief is based on reports which the operators claim to have received from many sources that the families of many of the strikers are in want.

Mitchell's Mission. Chicago, June 30.—President Mitchell of the United Mine Workers of America arrived in Chicago Sunday and will be here several days. When asked the object of his visit to Chicago, Mr. Mitchell said he came to settle several points in dispute in the Illinois coal fields, which had been referred to Commissioner Herman Just of the Illinois coal operators. The matter, he thought, would be disposed of immediately. Regarding the action of the coming convention in Indianapolis, he declared, he had nothing to say, as he had no idea what action the special convention would take.

French and the Triple Alliance. Paris, June 30.—The French hails with enthusiasm the renewal of the triple alliance between Germany, Austria-Hungary and Italy, which was effected by the signing of a treaty in Berlin by the imperial chancellor of Germany, Count Von Buelow, and the Austrian and Italian ambassadors to Germany, and expresses the belief that the strength of the alliance has been much enfeebled by dissensions with regard to tariff questions and a better understanding between Italy and France. The press considers, moreover, that the existence of a Franco-Russian alliance deprives the triple alliance of its originally aggressive character.

## WAR

Of Billboards is Rampant.

## Elks' Carnival

Paper Covered by Circus Bills.

Circus Paper in Return Covered by the Carnival Advertising.

Battle for Window Space for Lithographs Becoming Equally Interesting—July Fourth in for Its Share.

A battle of bill boards. It's not a cruel method of warfare but a provocative one. Not an inch of space on the broad expanse of leased territory but is covered by the glaring posters of coming attractions.

The Elks carnival, Sells Bros. circus, The Dayton Fall Festival, The Springfield Carnival, Piqua's Fourth of July and Wapakoneta's races are a few of the coming attractions that are scrambling for a space that will catch the human eye and beg for patronage. Here in Lima it is the carnival, but away from home the bill posters are compelled to use every subterfuge to get on the ground floor.

Thousands of dollars worth of colored lithographs have been plastered in small and full sheets on barns and fences, only to be lost sight of by the next approach of the representatives of a rival attraction. In small villages like Cairo, Beaver Dam, etc., there is no special agent and advertising space is scooped up by the first comer. The Elks were early in the field and got many of the choice places. Next came Sells Bros. circus and the Elks lithographs were obliterated by mammoth sheets of captures in the piñata and glittering parades. Then the Elks carnival agents, not to be outdone after their work had been wiped out, covered the Sells Bros. dates with those of their own—and thus the war goes on.

The battle for window space is just as furious, and flaming posters of "Phillips' special tower" and "Kilbuck's daring ride" flaunt their bravery in the face of the "Loop the Loop" and the snake charmer. As the situation is in Lima, so it is in all towns within a radius of forty miles. Premiums have been offered wherever there is a licensed bill poster and a board so secured cannot be overruled upon until after the date of the attraction has been passed. It is the men who control the leasing of the advertising space that are making the money and the Elks of Lima have not been slow to gobble up every advantage of this kind that was offered, leaving the others to scramble for the little that was left.

## Admiral Dewey Concluded.

Washington, June 30.—Admiral Dewey concluded his testimony before the senate committee on the Philippines. In substance the admiral said too much had been made of Aguinaldo in this country; that the insurgent leader had been a mere figurehead surrounded by able men; that Aguinaldo had betrayed his people to the Spaniards for money; and that the Filipino army was a mob organized for pillage and loot. The admiral could not remember that these reports had been denied by American military officers, and asked to be excused from criticizing said officers for the opinions they hold.

## At Jerusalem in 1904.

Denver, June 30.—Toronto having been selected as the meeting place of the next triennial convention of the International Sunday School association in 1905, the worldwide convention in 1904 will be held at Jerusalem. At the last worldwide convention in London in 1894 the executive committee was empowered to select the next meeting place, a preference being expressed for either Toronto or Geneva. A quorum of the members of that committee are here in attendance upon the international convention, and they have already practically agreed to hold the next worldwide convention at Jerusalem.

## Chicago Printers Win.

Chicago, June 30.—The threatened strike of the Chicago job printers has been averted by the Chicago typographers, the employers' organization, according to the demands of the men. Beginning next Tuesday, all union printers employed in book and job printing offices in Chicago will receive a material advance in wages. This is the first time in over 20 years that the job printers of this city have received an increase in pay.

CARROLL &amp; COONEY.

CARROLL &amp; COONEY.

## Dress Goods Marked Down.

We have a new manager for our Dress Goods Department and he has already started to trim prices.

All Wool Challies 39c.

A full line of colors and choice patterns. They have been 50c a yard, and are marked down to 39c.

Tucked Satin Stripe Challies 49c.

Colors white, light blue, pink and green, very pretty for waists.

Imported Satin Stripe Challies 55c.

These are extra width and we have all the latest styles and colors. Value 75c, special price 55c.

Black Mohair 29c.

We have reduced from 50c to 29c, a lot of Black Mohair fancy dress goods.

75c Dress Goods, 39c.

A lot of fancy and small figured Black Dress Goods have been marked down from 75c to 39c. These are 44 inches wide and will not last long at the new price.

## Carroll &amp; Cooney.

## COLUMBUS GROVE.

Wrangle Over Continental Postoffice Job

Has Been Settled to the Satisfaction of Uncle Marcus, at Least.

Columbus Grove, O., June 30.—The post office fight at Continental, this county, has been settled. For some time the matter of who should receive the appointment has caused enmity throughout the ranks of the Republican forces, and party lines were keenly drawn. The followers of G. A. Stauffer, of the old school of Republicans, known as a Foraker man, had the support of the central committee, so it is claimed, and his followers were enthusiastic and vigorous Republicans, like unto himself. It was very generally believed up to a few days ago that he would receive the appointment, but an ardent worshiper at Mark Hanna's shrine visited Washington in the interests of their candidate, and since that time the chances of Stauffer have been slim indeed. Following the return of this Hannaite, it was whispered that the future of J. H. Fluhart, the present incumbent, was bright and the prospects fair to land the coveted job. This report was fully confirmed when the nomination of Fluhart was sent to the senate upon Saturday.

The Northern Ohio railway will extend a branch track to the stone quarry, now in operation by Kunneke & Holmes.

Miss Anna Hardenbrook has come from Miami University to spend the summer vacation with relatives in Columbus Grove. Miss Lella Dye is the guest of her sister, Mrs. G. E. Jones, having just arrived from Oberlin college.

Rev. W. V. Davis delivered the morning sermon to the worshippers at the United Brethren church, corner of Spring and Union streets, Lima, Ohio, yesterday.

Miss Elizabeth Belford, of the faculty of the local public schools, is attending the Ohio Normal university at Ada.

The friends of postmaster E. L. Yale

are rejoicing over his re-appointment. Postmaster H. S. Eack, of Leipsie, has also been re-appointed, as has John Voght, of Deshier.

Mayor L. B. Williams and the committee from the village council on water-works, composed of Messrs. C. H. Busche, T. V. Meyers, and J. C. Kissell, together with Engineer G. L. McKibben were at Toledo Saturday, conferring with the state board of health. The object of their visit was to ask permission to change the plans for the water-works system. The test well recently drilled opposite the public school grounds, on the property owned by the corporation, produced excellent water, which after being analyzed by the state chemist was found to be suitable for the purpose. The state board of health approved the change, provided the water to be found in the new location should be of an excellent quality.

The residence property and land adjoining, owned by James L. Shaw in the east end of the village, has been purchased for the purpose of erecting thereon the pumping station for the water-works. This piece of property adjoins the electric light plant on the northeast corner, and is well situated for the purpose. The price paid is said to have been \$900. This morning stakes were driven, and work will be commenced at once upon drilling a test well for the water-works.

Isaac Bogart, a well-known member of the village council under the administration of Mayor Wells, has returned to Columbus Grove, after an extended stay in the west.

Superintendent H. D. Grindle has returned from Put-in-Bay, where he attended the meeting of the association of State Teachers.

Charles G. Busche, at one time proprietor of the High street hotel, is lying quite ill at his farm residence southeast of this city, suffering from Bright's disease. His recovery is extremely doubtful.

Mr. and Mrs. Joey Cox went to Cincinnati yesterday, availing themselves of the excursion to that city over the C. H. & D. railroad.

A little bit of a weak woman can often raise a pretty big row.

See "What Townsend Has."

## TRAFFIC

On the L. E. & W. Road Delayed By a Washout.

Former Conductor J. E. Purcell Purchases a South Side Saloon—Railroad Notes.

Traffic was considerably delayed on the L. E. & W. last night by a washout that occurred on one of the western divisions of the road. The express train returning from Indianapolis was delayed seven hours.

## Fought Like Bull Dogs.

Italians working on the Pennsylvania grading at New Washington into a general scrimmage and their number received surgical attention at the close of the bloody fray. They were struggling on the point and came near being run down by a fast freight. The fight was resumed when the train passed, two of the men beating each other with shovels, picks and stones. The trouble grew out of a quarrel with the Italian her and the men were divided on the question raised, quickly forcing into action and settling the affair in their own way. After the fight those who were able, returned to work, being escorted by the interpreter, who drew a revolver and threatened to shoot the first man that raised a hand.

## General Notes.

The private car of the U. S. fish commission was in Lima Saturday but none of the finny tribe were left in stock Hog creek.

Wet tracks were responsible for an accident at Hamilton Saturday but no one was hurt. A street car which could not be controlled, ran into a C. H. & D. freight train standing at the crossing, and the vestibule of the car was mashed in. The occupants got a severe jolting but escaped with that.

Jack Purcell, formerly a conductor on the L. E. & W., has purchased, from Pat Mooney, the saloon and restaurant at 508 south Main street. Jack is now in charge of the place and his popularity insures his success.

## Grain and Pork.

Chicago, June 30.—Closing September wheat 73½; corn 61; oats 31½; pork 18.50.

It's worth noting that the broad-minded man never has the big head.



## OIL NEWS OF OHIO.

## Recent Developments in Allen, Wood, Hancock and Lucas Counties.

WANTED—Two lady canvassers for one of the best known concerns in the city; steady employment; salary good. Address box 487, Lima, O. Giving name, address and reference. 22-61\*

WANTED—Bunch breakers and rollers and 25 girls and boys over 16 years, to learn trade at once. J. W. Orr & Co., 215 south Union street. 11

WANTED—A good girl to do general housework in a family of two. Good wages. Apply at 553 west Market street. 23-3\*

WANTED—Competent girl at 222 south Elizabeth street. 2nd door from the Buckeye Pipe Line building. 2-3\*

WANTED—Four young men to wait table. Must have had some experience; also one young man with knowledge of book-keeping, for position as clerk, at Manhattan hotel, 125 west High street. Open July 1st. 0-3\*

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework; good wages; work light. Apply at once to 1028 west Market street. 229-1\*

WANTED—Second cook, two women to work in kitchen and one for upstairs work, at Manhattan, which will open July 1st. Inquire at 533 west North street. 217-1\*

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework; small family; good wages. Apply at once to 512 west Market street. 212-1\*

WANTED—Trustworthy person in each county to manage business, at established house, solid financial standing, straight bona fide weekly cash salary \$18 paid by check each Wednesday, with all expenses deducted from headquarters, money advanced for expenses. Manager, 75 Canton building, Chicago. Satisfaction June 30. 1-1\*

FOR RENT. One very desirable room in the Masonic building. Apply at 1011 in building. 1-1\*

FOR SALE. A good young team (also harness and chains) Will do clean for cash. Inquire at 731 1/2 N. Main street. 2-1\*

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## GONE

## To Wilds of Thunder Mountain

## To Find Gold.

## Stewart Brice in the Role of a Miner.

## Will Seek His Fortune in the Gold Mines of Idaho.

## A New York Newspaper Contains an Extended Account of the Departure of the New York Alderman.

## New York, June 29.—The World to-day publishes the following:

Melby Brice, otherwise Captain Stewart Melby Brice, late United States Volunteer, has gone far from the gay life of New York city in which he was a leading spirit. With pick and an ax and all of the other tools of the prospector, the hero of many a festive scene where lights burned brightly is toughing it in the wilds of Idaho.

In the Thunder mountain district, where gold was recently discovered, Captain Brice is seeking for the yellow metal, hoping to retrieve his fallen fortunes.

He left town telling his business associates of his intentions, and among those who know him socially it is said that he has "disappeared." He went away with the intention of getting rich, and as he possesses all of the courage and persistence of his distinguished father the late Senator Calvin S. Brice of Ohio and New York, one time National Democratic Chairman, and much of his father's business ability there will be no wonder that he will do what he promised to do.

Cut Short in Father's Will. Calvin S. Brice left an estate of \$500,000, mostly in valuable railroad properties, of which his sons, John and W. Kirk Brice, are the executors. To Captain Brice, gallant soldier man about town, friend of Richard Croker and politician, was left the income from one-fifth of the estate, which share was to be administered by trustees and to pass to any children young Brice might have. Should he remain a bachelor until his death, then his share of the estate was to go to his brothers and sisters.

No explanation has ever been made why Stewart Brice failed to receive his father's will, the consideration which was shown to the other children.

Captain Brice was graduated from Harvard, and then went on a tour abroad. While in England he met Mr. Croker, to whom he confided that he was the wish of his life to enter politics. The Squire of Wantage took a fancy to the youthful political aspirant, and a little later saw to it that he was started on the political career as a councilman from the Fourth district.

This is as far as the young man got in politics, but had Tammany been able to hold its power he would have gone to Congress. In his campaign for the council he made the billiard parlor of his father's handsome home at 693 Fifth avenue, his political headquarters, and won in an overwhelming Republican district.

Fined for Contempt. As a councilman Mr. Brice declined, at Tammany's dictation, to vote for the bond issue for the construction of the hall of records, and when ordered to do so by the courts still refused. He was adjudged guilty of contempt of court for this by Judge Scott and was sentenced to pay a fine of \$473 and be confined in jail for 10 days. He paid the fine and was relieved of the jail sentence by a decision of the appellate court.

Mr. Brice, during the war with Spain, went to the front as commissary of subsistence, with the rank of captain and was placed on General Shafter's staff when the army was before Santiago. He volunteered to block the harbor of Santiago with a transport, just as Hobson did with a collier, and was on the eve of executing the perilous deed when events made it unnecessary.

Captain Brice was in political life for about six years. He was a member of the general committee of Tammany Hall, was the author of the municipal regulation governing cab fares, offered a resolution providing that the flag of the City Hall be half-masted during the funeral services held over Queen Victoria, which caused a precipitate adjournment of the council, and made a speech

against the proposition to give a visiting Boer delegation a public reception. Surprised Society.

Captain Brice is smooth-faced, good looking, stout, with fair skin and hair, and quite celebrated as an athlete, despite his nearly 200 pounds of weight. He is one inch over six feet, is a member of the New York Athletic, the Racquet, the Knickerbocker, the Manhattan and Lambs Clubs, and was accounted one of the best of Prof. Donovan's boxers.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

E. J. Maire, of Lima, and Jacob Theobald, of Cleveland, oil magnates who have large interests in all the fields near here, were registered at the St. Nicholas last night.—Kenton Republican.

Miss Mayme Cunningham, of north Elizabeth street, spent Sunday with friends in Cincinnati.

Mrs. Chas. Hartman, of north Union street, has returned from a visit in Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Conliss, of Toledo, attended the first mass of his cousin Rev. W. D. Noonan yesterday. While here they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Dimond.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Killoran returned last night from Fostoria where they attended the funeral of their cousin, Miss Jessie Quinn. Miss Quinn's mother was buried a week ago.

Miss Anna Fetterly, of east Wayne street, is visiting friends in Muncie, Ind.

Stage manager Louis J. Whitmer, of the McBeth park auditorium, is ill at his home on south Main street.

Frank Huber and son and daughter of Marion, and Mrs. Huber's sister, Mrs. O'Hara, of Springfield, Mo., were the guests yesterday of Sister Irene, of St. Rose school. The latter is a sister of Mesdames Huber and O'Hara.

Mrs. P. H. Flahie who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. T. J. Gorman for the past week, left yesterday morning for her home in Woodville, Ohio, accompanied by her niece Miss Breta Gorman, who will be her guest for some time.

John Maloney and son Will, of Sidney, were the guests yesterday of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Coolahan, of west Grand avenue. The latter left this morning for Ada to attend Normal school.

Miss Blanche Kerns and Mable Kerr spent Sunday in Troy.

Miss Cora Waltrick has returned to her home in Delphos after a visit in Lima.

Miss Florence Irick, of Delphos, is the guest of her brother, Jesse Irick, of south Elizabeth street.

## Everything in fireworks at Green's book store.

LIMA COUNCIL NO. 23, R. & S. M.

Stated assembly tomorrow (Tuesday) evening. Work on R. & S. M. degrees.

W. J. SHEPHERD, Thr. Ill. M. WALLACE LANDIS, Recorder.

## A SOCIABLE SOCIAL.

The Religio-Philosophical society will hold their weekly social at Mrs. Lown's, 122 south Elizabeth street, Tuesday evening, July 1st. All are cordially invited. By order of committee.

## Get Apex bacon and hams at Watson's.

## PICNIC

## Postponed on Account of the Weather.

The picnic that was to have been given the primary department of Trinity church, Tuesday at 126 south Elizabeth street, has been indefinitely postponed on account of the weather.

## NOTICE TO COAL DEALERS.

Sealed bids will be received by the clerk of the board of education of the city of Lima, Ohio, until 7:00 o'clock p. m. July 7, 1914, for the purpose of supplying one thousand (1,000) tons of Jackson Domestic lump coal, to be delivered at the different school buildings of the city of Lima, Ohio, for use in the coming school year.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Board of Education. J. C. G. ANNIE DIERMAN, Clerk.

## Spirited Umbrella Selling.

We've sold more Umbrellas last week than are ordinarily sold in two months. The response to our announcement of special values was most generous. There is such genuineness in the bargains that every looker became a ready buyer.

## High Grade Umbrellas at \$1.98.

Having bought a liberal quantity at our own price, we sell for this nominal sum, goods that usually would sell at \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$4.50. Among them are fine black silk Umbrellas with rich, up-to-date handles, and colored Umbrellas with pretty borders just as right for rain as shine—a great bargain at \$1.98.

Good Umbrellas at 69c, 98c, \$1.25 and \$1.48. Fine Umbrellas \$2.50, 2.98, 3.00 and to 6.50.

Feldmann & Co.  
209 and 211 N. Main Street.

## We are showing very special values in; PARASOLS.

White Parasols, Fancy Parasols and Black with White Parasols in pleasing variety, marked for quick selling.

See our SHIRT WAISTS, BELTS and NECKWEAR. The newest things are here, attractively priced.



## By Plugging a Hole

In a hole with his finger a little boy saves Holland—that's history. By plugging a hole in your teeth we will save you from toothache—that's dentistry. Gold filling costs according to the amount of gold used, so don't let that hole in your front tooth grow.

Gold fillings ..... \$1.00 up.  
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Crowns ..... \$2.00 up.  
Bridge work ..... \$2.50 up.  
Best set of teeth ..... \$7.00.  
No 1 set of teeth ..... \$1.50.  
Extracting ..... 25 cts.  
Gas or air ..... 50 cts.  
Extracting Free when plates are ordered.

## J. K. BANNISTER &amp; CO., Dentists.

Hours, 8:00-10:00. Evenings 7 to 9. Sundays 9 to 12. OPERA HOUSE BLOCK. LADY ATTENDANT.

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Best Teeth ..... \$7.00  
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Gold Crowns 22k fine ..... \$3.00 up  
Bridge Work 22k fine ..... \$3.00  
Gold Fillings ..... \$1.00 up  
Silver Fillings ..... 75c  
Painless Extracting ..... 50c. Extracting ..... 25c.  
All work is fully guaranteed.

## Boston Dental Association,

Open Evenings. Black Block, North Main Street, Lima, O. Sunday 9 to 12.

## Light's Specials

Millinery, Summer Suits, Dressing Jackets and Muslin Underwear.

## Prices Knocked Right and Left.

Our Millinery and Furnishings are right up to the hour in styles. We are going to close out our remaining stock at prices regardless of cost, and the saving to you will be worth while looking after. Bargains in every department, but the above articles will be our Specials THIS WEEK, and we urge you to come to our store during this sale.

Presents valued at from 10 cents to \$1.00 with every purchase amounting to \$1.00 or over. Pick 'em out yourself.

## MRS. F. LIGHT,

134 North Main Street.

## MANY PRIZES

## Will Be Awarded at the Gun Shoot on July 4th.

Ninety-five dollars in prizes will be awarded to the winner in the big blue rock shoot to be held at the fair grounds, Lima, Ohio, on July 4th, 1914.

Special prizes for those who shoot through the entire program. Cash, \$5.00; oak rocker \$4.00; leather shell box \$4.00; striking bag, \$5.00.

The following prizes for each 10 bird races. Event No. 1, entrance 50 cents. Fishing rod, \$2.00; cash, \$5.00; quart old crow whiskey, \$1.50; one pair cuff buttons, 75c; fancy pipe, 50c.

Event No. 2, entrance 30c—Clock \$1.00; watch chain, \$2.00; buck horn carving set, \$3.00; shoe brush, 50c.

Event No. 3, entrance 50c—Umbrella, \$2.50; street car tickets, \$1.00; mop stick, 15c; gold locket, \$2.50.

Event No. 4, entrance 50c—Box of cigars, \$2.50; broom, 50c; two bottles wine, \$2.00; ten shavers, \$1.00; coffee, \$1.00.

Event No. 5, entrance 30c—Watch chain, \$3.00; washing board, 35c; bottle knives, 75c; pair cuff buttons, 75c; box cigars, \$2.50.

Event No. 6, entrance 30c—Sole gold cross, \$2.00; large jar pickles, 50c; hair comb, 50c; two bottles wine, \$2.00; bicycle pump, 50c; each pair.

Event No. 7, entrance 30c—Fancy pipe, \$2.50; children street car tickets, 50c; quart rye, \$1.25; fancy case, \$2.50; shoe brush, 50c.

One cent will be charged for each blue rock shot at on shooting off ties, miss and out.

Event No. 8, entrance 30c—Gold scarf pin, \$2.50; sack flour 75c; two bottles wine, \$2.00; bicycle pump, 25c; fancy pickle jar, \$2.50.

Event No. 9, entrance 30c—Gold watch chain, \$3.00; fancy pipe, 50c; quart rye, \$1.25; set cuff buttons, 25c; box cigars, \$2.50.

Event No. 10, entrance 30c—Box cigars, \$2.50; tooth brush, 25c; leather gun case, \$5.00; bottle rye whiskey, \$1.25; bottle catsup, 25c; sack flour, 75c.

Shooting begins at 9:30 a. m. Loaded shells for sale on grounds. Under the management of Elmer Marshall, S. Spillacy and J. M. Arndt.

## NOTICE.

St. John's Branch No. 36 C. K. of O. will meet July 1st, at 7:30 p. m. A full attendance is requested as there is business of importance to be disposed of. By order of the president, J. M. ARNDT.

J. F. W. HAN, Rec. Sec'y.

Whereas comes this mighty far-reaching power that enables Rocky Mountain Tea to make such wonderful cures! Try it and see. H. F. Vorkamp, cor. Main and North streets.



## CHAUTAUQUA

Reached by The Lake Shore & Michigan Southern

Lake Chautauqua is one of the most famous and delightful of summer resorts. It is also one where a most enjoyable vacation can be had at a nominal expense. Located 1500 feet above sea level, the air is pure, cool and invigorating; hot, oppressive days and nights are practically unknown; climatic conditions unsurpassed. The lake is twenty miles long by two miles wide, water supply entirely from springs, famous for bass and muskellunge fishing.

No resorts offer more diversified attractions. At west end of lake is the most famous Assembly in the world, attracting thousands of visitors. At the other, is Colerain with all the fun and attractions of a Coney Island; at other points are fine resorts with summer homes and cottages. Frequent service by fine steamers furnish very enjoyable excursions between all points; roads for driving and wheeling are excellent. Good accommodations at resorts about the lake in hotels and cottages at \$7 to \$21 per week.

Chautauqua is reached over the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. by the new short line route through Westfield, N. Y. Connections with through Lake Shore trains to Westfield can be made at Chicago, Toledo, Cleveland and intermediate points, also at St. Louis, Indianapolis, Cincinnati, Columbus, etc., on the C. C. & St. L. Ry. (Big Four) through trains via Cleveland.

Tourist tickets by all railroads in connection with the Lake Shore on sale June 1 to September 30.

### Lake Chautauqua Book

finely illustrated, and describing the lake and its attractions, sent free anywhere by  
A. J. SMITH, G. P. & T. A., Cleveland, Ohio.

**Two Low Rate Excursions July 4 and 25 Tickets Good 30 Days**

Ask your agent or write A. J. Smith, G. P. & T. A., Cleveland, Ohio.

Dates of sale from south of Ohio river July 3 & 24.

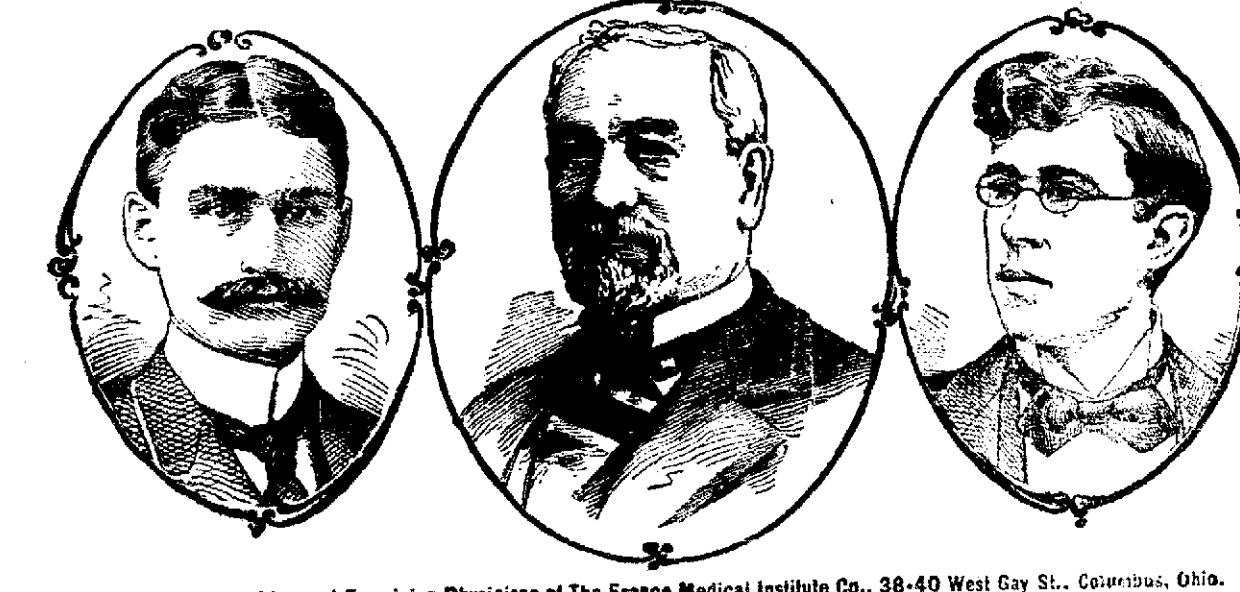
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One of the Chief Examining and Consulting Physicians of The France Medical Institute Co., by request, will visit the above town on the date named. **CONSULTATION FREE AND STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL.**

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## BLOOD POISON, VARICOCELE, STRICTURE AND ALL DISEASES OF MEN AND WOMEN POSITIVELY CURED "THE FRANCE TREATMENT."



The Chief Consulting and Examining Physicians of The France Medical Institute Co., 38-40 West Gay St., Columbus, Ohio.

**THE FRANCE MEDICAL INSTITUTE.** Established 1890. Largest Practice and Most Complete Institution of its kind in the United States. Our record of cures is complete. We have successfully treated thousands of cases. Our practice extends to all parts of the United States, Canada, Mexico, and all foreign countries. Our long experience, remarkable skill, and the use of the latest scientific methods, have made us the most successful and reliable of all medical institutions. We have cured many cases of Blood Poison, Varicocele, Stricture, and all diseases of men and women. We have cured many cases of Blood Poison, Varicocele, Stricture, and all diseases of men and women. We have cured many cases of Blood Poison, Varicocele, Stricture, and all diseases of men and women.

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4th OF JULY EXCURSIONS.

The Erie Railroad will sell excursion tickets at one fare for the round trip, July 3rd and 4th, good returning until and including July 7th, 1926. Tickets on sale at all Erie stations to points in Central Passenger Association territory within 200 miles from selling station. For information see Erie Agent.

**Saves Two From Death.** "Our little daughter had an almost fatal attack of whooping cough and bronchitis," writes Mrs. W. K. Haviland, of Armorek, N. Y., "but, when all other remedies failed, we saved her life with Dr. King's New Discovery. Our niece, who had consumption in an advanced stage, also used this wonderful medicine and today she is perfectly well." Desperate cases of lung diseases yield to Dr. King's New Discovery as to no other medicine on earth. Infalible for Coughs and Colds. 50c and \$1.00 bottles guaranteed by H. F. Vorkamp, corner North and Main streets. Trial bottles free.

**CANTON ORION NO. 24 P. M.** Excursion to Springfield, Ohio, Sunday, June 29, via Detroit Southern R. R. Only \$1.00 for the round trip. Special train will leave Wayne street station 7:30 a. m. arrive at Springfield 9:10 a. m.

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## THE NEW CUBAN ARMY

Composed of Rural Guards and the Artillery Corps.

**BOTH WELL DRESSED AND ARMED**

Former Body, Which Was Trained by Captain Slocum of the United States Army, Numbers 1,500 Men and the Latter 200—General Gomez to Be Commander in Chief.

The army of Cuba as a republic is a very different one from that of Cuba as a Spanish colony, writes Dorothy Stunhope, the Havana correspondent of the New York Times, under the date of June 10. The neat looking soldier of the rural guards (the cavalry) and the smart looking member of the corps de artilleria (artillery corps) remind one but little of the Cuban soldiers that I saw in the winter of 1908-09. What a motley assemblage it was! Men of all ages, from the gray bearded veteran of several wars to the young boy scarcely out of knee breeches, ragged, many of them, and carrying the most varied collection of weapons it has ever been my fortune to see. In contrast to these are the well dressed, armed and disciplined artillerymen and equally well appearing rural guards of today, who marched in the procession at the inauguration of the republic.

The rural guards, which constitute the cavalry arm, were originally organized as suburban police and are still serving in that capacity in the country and small towns from May to San Antonio. At present they number 1,500 men, but it is expected that the Cuban congress will enact a law authorizing an increase of a thousand more. They were trained by Captain Slocum of the United States army. The uniform is khaki with yellow piping, leather leggings and campaign hat. The officers wear yellow shoulder straps. The privates are paid \$12 American money a month. They are expected to feed and clothe themselves. A first lieutenant receives \$100, a second \$85, a captain \$125, captain and adjutant \$150 and a major \$200.

Only within the last few months have the rural guards been considered a part of the army. The body that was organized as the Cuban army is the artillery arm, known as the "corpo de artilleria." The corps de artilleria was organized in October, 1901. Captain Dwight E. Antman of the artillery corps was selected by the military governor as the commanding officer, and he in turn chose six noncommissioned American officers from the artillery companies in the Havana garrison to aid him in the work.

No sooner was the military force was to be formed than men from all parts of the island signified their intention to enlist. Young men from all walks of life, some raised in luxury and others at the plow, presented themselves for enlistment. The two companies constituting the 150 men of the corps were white, much to the dissatisfaction of the black race, who at once sent a delegation to General Wood to tell him that the colored race wished to be included in the new army, having always fought in Cuba's cause. Then General Wood issued another order for the enlistment of a company of fifty colored men.

The three companies have been stationed together in Habana fortress, where there are quarters for several thousand soldiers and where there were a large number during Spanish times. The colored company has now gone to Columbia barracks, where it is guarding property.

General Alejandro Rodriguez is commander in chief of the Cuban army, both artillery and rural guards, with rank of brigadier general. He is a veteran of several wars and was at one time an American citizen. He has been very prominent in Havana affairs, having been mayor of the city as late as 1900. While no fault is to be found with his leadership, General Maximiliano Gomez is to be made chief, with rank of major general, while General Rodriguez remains with the rural guards, and General Castillo, so it is rumored, becomes chief of the artillery. General Gomez wields a very great influence over the Cuban people through the length and breadth of the island. Just now this consideration is a powerful one, for the strongest leaders are needed.

**FOURTH OF JULY.** The L. E. & W. will make a rate of one fare round trip to points within 200 miles of Lima. Tickets on sale July 2nd and 4th, good to return July 7th.

**CASTORIA** For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought. Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Watson*



State of Ohio, Insurance Department, Columbus, Feb. 1, 1902. I, A. I. VORLES, Superintendent of Insurance of the State of Ohio, do hereby certify that the Manhattan Fire Insurance Company, located at Manhattan, in the State of New Hampshire, has complied in all respects with the laws of this state, applicable to it, and is authorized to transact in this state the business of insuring property against loss or damage by fire and lightning and tornadoes, and by explosions from gas, dynamite, gunpowder and other like explosives, as prescribed in section 3641, paragraph first, and section 3641A, Revised Statutes of Ohio, during the current year. Its condition and business, next preceding the date hereof, is shown by the statement, under oath, as required by section 284 of said Revised Statutes, to be as follows:

Aggregate amount of available assets \$3,174,083.80  
Aggregate amount of liabilities (except capital, including re-insurance) 1,456,850.99  
Net assets 1,717,232.81  
Amount of actual paid-up capital 1,000,000.00  
Surplus 717,232.81  
Amount of income for the year 1,508,001.95  
In cash 1,000,000.00  
Amount of expenditures for the year in cash 1,000,000.00  
In witness whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused my official seal to be affixed, the day and year first above written.

A. I. VORLES, Superintendent of Insurance.  
Wm. McCORMACK, Jr., Agent at Lima, Ohio.

State of Ohio, Insurance Department, Columbus, Feb. 1, 1902. I, A. I. VORLES, Superintendent of Insurance of the State of Ohio, do hereby certify that the Milwaukee Fire Insurance Company, located at Milwaukee, in the State of Wisconsin, has complied in all respects with the laws of this state, applicable to it, and is authorized to transact in this state the business of insuring property against loss or damage by fire and lightning and tornadoes, and by explosions from gas, dynamite, gunpowder and other like explosives, as prescribed in section 3641, paragraph first, and section 3641A, Revised Statutes of Ohio, during the current year. Its condition and business, next preceding the date hereof, is shown by the statement, under oath, as required by section 284 of said Revised Statutes, to be as follows:

Aggregate amount of available assets \$2,200,000.00  
Aggregate amount of liabilities (except capital, including re-insurance) 1,124,431.46  
Net assets 1,075,568.54  
Amount of actual paid-up capital 1,000,000.00  
Surplus 75,568.54  
Amount of income for the year 1,271,502.20  
In cash 1,000,000.00  
Amount of expenditures for the year in cash 1,000,000.00  
In witness whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused my official seal to be affixed, the day and year first above written.

A. I. VORLES, Superintendent of Insurance.  
HENRY E. BELL, Agent at Lima, Ohio.

State of Ohio, Insurance Department, Columbus, Feb. 1, 1902. I, A. I. VORLES, Superintendent of Insurance of the State of Ohio, do hereby certify that the Manchester Fire Insurance Company, located at Manchester, in the State of New Hampshire, has complied in all respects with the laws of this state, applicable to it, and is authorized to transact in this state the business of insuring property against loss or damage by fire and lightning and tornadoes, and by explosions from gas, dynamite, gunpowder and other like explosives, as prescribed in section 3641, paragraph first, and section 3641A, Revised Statutes of Ohio, during the current year. Its condition and business, next preceding the date hereof, is shown by the statement, under oath, as required by section 284 of said Revised Statutes, to be as follows:

Aggregate amount of available assets \$401,170.00  
Aggregate amount of liabilities (except capital, including re-insurance) 189,007.77  
Net assets 212,162.23  
Amount of actual paid-up capital 200,000.00  
Surplus 12,162.23  
Amount of income for the year 141,000.00  
In cash 100,000.00  
Amount of expenditures for the year in cash 100,000.00  
In witness whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused my official seal to be affixed, the day and year first above written.

A. I. VORLES, Superintendent of Insurance.  
FRANK N. STICKNEY, Agent at Lima, Ohio.

State of Ohio, Insurance Department, Columbus, Feb. 1, 1902. I, A. I. VORLES, Superintendent of Insurance of the State of Ohio, do hereby certify that the Manchester Fire Insurance Company, located at Manchester, in the State of New Hampshire, has complied in all respects with the laws of this state, applicable to it, and is authorized to transact in this state the business of insuring property against loss or damage by fire and lightning and tornadoes, and by explosions from gas, dynamite, gunpowder and other like explosives, as prescribed in section 3641, paragraph first, and section 3641A, Revised Statutes of Ohio, during the current year. Its condition and business, next preceding the date hereof, is shown by the statement, under oath, as required by section 284 of said Revised Statutes, to be as follows:

Aggregate amount of available assets \$1,820,770.87  
Aggregate amount of liabilities (except capital, including re-insurance) 1,208,080.14  
Net assets 612,690.73  
Amount of actual paid-up capital 500,000.00  
Surplus 112,690.73  
Amount of income for the year 1,770,570.42  
In cash 1,000,000.00  
Amount of expenditures for the year in cash 1,000,000.00  
In witness whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused my official seal to be affixed, the day and year first above written.

A. I. VORLES, Superintendent of Insurance.  
KEMMER & CO., Agents at Lima, Ohio.

State of Ohio, Insurance Department, Columbus, Feb. 1, 1902. I, A. I. VORLES, Superintendent of Insurance of the State of Ohio, do hereby certify that the Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Company, located at Liverpool, in England, has complied in all respects with the laws of this state, applicable to it, and is authorized to transact in this state the business of insuring property against loss or damage by fire and lightning and tornadoes, and by explosions from gas, dynamite, gunpowder and other like explosives, as prescribed in section 3641, paragraph first, and section 3641A, Revised Statutes of Ohio, during the current year. Its condition and business, next preceding the date hereof, is shown by the statement, under oath, as required by section 284 of said Revised Statutes, to be as follows:

Aggregate amount of available assets \$10,127,560.80  
Aggregate amount of liabilities (except capital, including re-insurance) 5,577,398.90  
Net assets 4,550,161.90  
Amount of actual paid-up capital 1,000,000.00  
Surplus 3,550,161.90  
Amount of income for the year 6,182,250.26  
In cash 1,000,000.00  
Amount of expenditures for the year in cash 1,000,000.00  
In witness whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused my official seal to be affixed, the day and year first above written.

A. I. VORLES, Superintendent of Insurance.  
JNO. MCCONNOR & SON, Agent at Lima, Ohio.

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State of Ohio, Insurance Department, Columbus, Feb. 1, 1902. I, A. I. VORLES, Superintendent of Insurance of the State of Ohio, do hereby certify that the Detroit Fire and Marine Insurance Company, located at Detroit, in the State of Michigan, has complied in all respects with the laws of this state, applicable to it, and is authorized to transact in this state the business of insuring property against loss or damage by fire and lightning and tornadoes, and by explosions from gas, dynamite, gunpowder and other like explosives, as prescribed in section 3641, paragraph first, and section 3641A, Revised Statutes of Ohio, during the current year. Its condition and business, next preceding the date hereof, is shown by the statement, under oath, as required by section 284 of said Revised Statutes, to be as follows:

Aggregate amount of available assets \$1,100,000.00  
Aggregate amount of liabilities (except capital, including re-insurance) 500,000.00  
Net assets 600,000.00  
Amount of actual paid-up capital 500,000.00  
Surplus 100,000.00  
Amount of income for the year 1,000,000.00  
In cash 500,000.00  
Amount of expenditures for the year in cash 500,000.00  
In witness whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused my official seal to be affixed, the day and year first above written.

A. I. VORLES, Superintendent of Insurance.  
JOHN MCCONNOR & SON, Agent at Lima, Ohio.

State of Ohio, Insurance Department, Columbus, Feb. 1, 1902. I, A. I. VORLES, Superintendent of Insurance of the State of Ohio, do hereby certify that the Washington Insurance Company, located at Washington, in the State of District of Columbia, has complied in all respects with the laws of this state, applicable to it, and is authorized to transact in this state the business of insuring property against loss or damage by fire and lightning and tornadoes, and by explosions from gas, dynamite, gunpowder and other like explosives, as prescribed in section 3641, paragraph first, and section 3641A, Revised Statutes of Ohio, during the current year. Its condition and business, next preceding the date hereof, is shown by the statement, under oath, as required by section 284 of said Revised Statutes, to be as follows:

Aggregate amount of available assets \$1,000,000.00  
Aggregate amount of liabilities (except capital, including re-insurance) 500,000.00  
Net assets 500,000.00  
Amount of actual paid-up capital 500,000.00  
Surplus 0.00  
Amount of income for the year 1,000,000.00  
In cash 500,000.00  
Amount of expenditures for the year in cash 500,000.00  
In witness whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused my official seal to be affixed, the day and year first above written.

A. I. VORLES, Superintendent of Insurance.  
WILLIAM L. LAMAR, Agent at Lima, Ohio.

State of Ohio, Insurance Department, Columbus, Feb. 1, 1902. I, A. I. VORLES, Superintendent of Insurance of the State of Ohio, do hereby certify that the New York Fire Insurance Company, located at New York, in the State of New York, has complied in all respects with the laws of this state, applicable to it, and is authorized to transact in this state the business of insuring property against loss or damage by fire and lightning and tornadoes, and by explosions from gas, dynamite, gunpowder and other like explosives, as prescribed in section 3641, paragraph first, and section 3641A, Revised Statutes of Ohio, during the current year. Its condition and business, next preceding the date hereof, is shown by the statement, under oath, as required by section 284 of said Revised Statutes, to be as follows:

Aggregate amount of available assets \$3,100,000.00  
Aggregate amount of liabilities (except capital, including re-insurance) 1,000,000.00  
Net assets 2,100,000.00  
Amount of actual paid-up capital 1,000,000.00  
Surplus 1,100,000.00  
Amount of income for the year 2,000,000.00  
In cash 1,000,000.00  
Amount of expenditures for the year in cash 1,000,000.00  
In witness whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused my official seal to be affixed, the day and year first above written.

A. I. VORLES, Superintendent of Insurance.  
A. YOUNG & CO., Agents at Lima, Ohio.

State of Ohio, Insurance Department, Columbus, Feb. 1, 1902. I, A. I. VORLES, Superintendent of Insurance of the State of Ohio, do hereby certify that the New York Fire Insurance Company, located at New York, in the State of New York, has complied in all respects with the laws of this state, applicable to it, and is authorized to transact in this state the business of insuring property against loss or damage by fire and lightning and tornadoes, and by explosions from gas, dynamite, gunpowder and other like explosives, as prescribed in section 3641, paragraph first, and section 3641A, Revised Statutes of Ohio, during the current year. Its condition and business, next preceding the date hereof, is shown by the statement, under oath, as required by section 284 of said Revised Statutes, to be as follows:

Aggregate amount of available assets \$2,171,048.68  
Aggregate amount of liabilities (except capital, including re-insurance) 1,319,450.00  
Net assets 851,598.68  
Amount of actual paid-up capital 500,000.00  
Surplus 351,598.68  
Amount of income for the year 2,000,000.00  
In cash 1,000,000.00  
Amount of expenditures for the year in cash 1,000,000.00  
In witness whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused my official seal to be affixed, the day and year first above written.

A. I. VORLES, Superintendent of Insurance.  
HERMAN GOETTKE, Agent at Lima, Ohio.

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## HELD

On the Charge of  
Shoplifting.

## Woman In Jail

Awaiting a Hearing In  
Mayor's Court.

Mrs. Lucy Wable Arrested  
In a Dry Goods Store  
Saturday Night.

Prisoner Is Fifty Years of Age and  
Her Arrest Was a Surprise to  
Her Friends—Mayor's  
Court Cases.

Anna Brown, alias Mrs. Lucy Wable, of 419 north Jackson street, was arrested at Carroll & Cooney's dry goods store Saturday night shortly after 8 o'clock, on a charge of shoplifting. In a shopping bag that was fastened on the inside of her cape were found some ribbons belonging to the Carroll & Cooney store and sundries, including a tack hammer, that had been procured elsewhere. After the goods were found in her cape she confessed that she had taken them and Captain Goebel sent her to the county jail where she awaits being summoned into mayor's court for a hearing.

The prisoner is a woman fifty years of age and is quite well known in the neighborhood in which she resides and all of her neighbors and friends will be shocked and surprised to learn of her arrest.

The discovery of the work of the shoplifter was made by Harry Vanatta, of the Carroll & Cooney store. He noticed the woman as she was handling some goods in a suspicious manner and watching her closely he saw her pick up some ribbons and place in under her cape. He requested her to remove the cape and when he examined it he found the goods in the shopping bag in the back of it. Officer Billestein, who was summoned, escorted the prisoner to the police station. To Captain Goebel she gave her name as Anna Brown, but later the police were informed that her real name was Mrs. Lucy Wable.

### MORE GOODS

Found at the Woman's Home By the  
Police, Today.

This afternoon Chief Mills and detectives Patton and Vanatta, armed with a search warrant, visited the Wable woman's home on north Jackson street and on searching the trunks found in the house they unearthed a cartload of dry goods, toilet soaps and notions which she confessed that she stole at Carroll & Cooney's, the Lima Dry Goods Co.'s store, McDonald's jewelry store, Feldmann & Co.'s store and other business places. Mayor's Court Cases.

Frank Glancy, proprietor of a saloon in the Kent block was fined \$25 this morning for Sunday selling.

William Klug was arraigned on a charge of occupying quarters with a woman named Mary Smith, on Butler avenue, the affidavit being signed by another woman. He pleaded not guilty, and the case will be heard Wednesday.

Alvin Ginn is the name given by a prisoner who is held for having failed to settle a board bill. Frank Whitmer, arrested on a board bill case, settled the bill and was dismissed. John Altonberger and Elmer Pebley for drunkenness, were fined \$6.00 and \$4.50, respectively. George McNeill, arrested on suspicion and Ed. Emil, for drunkenness, were dismissed.

The marshal of Harrod came to this city this morning and returned with Walter Fasman wanted in Harrod for failure to pay a fine that was assessed against him by the mayor of that place some time ago.

### SERIOUS OUTLOOK

For All Crops Unless a Change Comes  
In the Weather.

A big crop of wheat is being raised in this county and a million bushels of wheat at \$1.00 a bushel, for September delivery, brokers have issued statements indicating a serious partial famine in corn, oats and wheat unless a change in the weather quickly comes. The opinion of experts is that the crops have reached a crucial stage and the weather of the next few weeks will be of vital importance to the supply of bread stuffs.

## CIRCUIT

Court Sat Down on the  
Injunction

And Findlay's City Hall Case  
is Ended.

Conclusion of the Judges Sums up  
the Situation in Language  
Amusing, But Not to be  
Misunderstood.

Findlay's famous city hall case has been settled by the circuit court and the prayer for an injunction against the erection of the building on the site selected was denied. It was the ardent hope of the citizens in general that the injunction would be granted, as there have been many objections made to the location selected by the city council, but the common pleas court set aside the petition and an appeal to circuit court has resulted in the lower court being sustained.

Not a little humor enters into the circuit court decision, as the judges took up each of the questions that entered into the argument for an injunction, and the following is only a small part of the conclusions handed down in the language of Judge Mooney the situation is thus summed up:

It is true that this building to the east abuts upon an alley that across this broad expanse of sixteen feet is a vista of the neglected rear elevations of the business houses fronting upon Main street, festooned and garlanded about with boxes and refuse, the jetsam and flotsam of retail trade. True that the lighting and ventilation of the west side, is not the most perfect, but it does not appear but that the lighting and ventilation of the building is otherwise, at least, fair. True that a feed barn is conducted adjacent to the southwest corner of the building and while it may be inferred that an odor may linger there like a half forgotten memory, yet it does not appear from the evidence as the pleadings charged that these odors reek. It must not be forgotten that the south end of the city building is to be used in part for housing the horses of the fire department, and that, in consequence, it must be assumed that any odor arising from the similar use of the feed barn will stand as a quid pro quo, an argumentum monerum, a testamento internum, a Roland for the city's Oliver. Hence no very valid ground of objections.

## EIGHT

Hour Run Through  
the State

By the Flyer

To Be Installed By the  
Western Ohio.

Service Will Be Established  
By Early Fall to Cin-  
cinnati.

Sleeping Cars, Buffet and Parlor  
Cars Will Be Run on the Line  
and a Through Freight  
Established.

"We expect to have through street car service from Lima to Cincinnati late in the fall or early winter, and next spring we will carry passengers from Toledo to Cincinnati," said H. C. Lang, Saturday, in an interview with the Piquette Call.

"We will have a twentieth century flyer of our own."

At a meeting of the directors of the Western Ohio Railway Company, held Saturday morning, a plan to dispose of the balance of its securities, amounting to \$500,000 was ratified. The money will be used to complete the road from Wapakoneta to Piquette. Rails are ready to be laid between Sidney and Piquette and the work of grading this line from Sidney to Wapakoneta is already in progress.

The action taken by the directors was a very important one, as it will complete the chain of interurban street car service between Cincinnati and Toledo, a distance of 201 miles.

"We will carry passengers from Toledo to Cincinnati in eight hours, and expect to do a through freight business," said Mr. Lang.

Sleeping cars, buffet and parlor cars will also be run on the line.

## DID

Not Show Suffi-  
cient Grounds

For the Divorce

And the Judge Refused  
to Grant a Decree

Another Divorce Suit Filed  
In Which the Husband  
Seeks Separation.

Claims the Wife Has Not Been  
Dutiful and Ever Possessed a  
Violent Temper. Kibby  
Street Case Still On.

The only case heard Saturday was the divorce suit of George vs. Magdalena Lyons, and Judge Cunningham denied the decree asked for. There were several witnesses introduced by the plaintiff to prove that he had been denied the privilege of seeing his child and the court removed all obstructions of this kind. The defendant was ordered to grant admission to the plaintiff at any time he wanted to see his son and an allowance of \$7 per month for the child's support was made. It was the opinion of the court that the evidence wasn't sufficiently strong to support the allegations contained in the petition and for that reason the divorce was denied.

Husband Seeks Relief.  
Willful absence for a period of three years is the chief ground cited in a petition for divorce filed by John C. Kanizing Saturday afternoon. The date of the marriage was December 11, 1888, and the separation occurred in 1899. Gross neglect of duty on the part of the wife who is said to have failed to perform the duties her position demanded is another charge, and the possession of a violent temper led to alleged acts of cruelty. The plaintiff wants a divorce and custody of their 13-year-old child.

Court Briefs.  
Judge Cunningham presided in the case of the state of Ohio vs. Charles Straley at Sidney Friday, the defendant being tried for burglary. A verdict of guilty was returned by the jury.

Deputy sheriff Mike Summers spent the day in Toledo yesterday.

Marriage Licenses.  
Otto Reusch, Jr., 25, Celina and Katharine L. Baumgardner, 25, of Lima.

Edward Godfrey, 41, and Louisa Harvey, 23, both of West Newton.  
Clinton O. Stuebs, 25, and Rosa L. Hyre, both of Harrod.

At Work Again.  
Judge Mathers returned from Sidney this morning and the west Kibby injunction suit was resumed from where it was left off last Friday. Contractor Carl Wells was called to the stand again to resume the thread of the defense and it is impossible to predict the end of the case.

Looking After His Wards.  
In the case of Patrick Hughes vs. Anna Stewart et al., an answer and cross petition was filed this morning by W. H. Mattingly, guardian of Mary Frank and Winifred Arnold in which the claim is made that they have a large interest in the property described in the petition. The estate is the dwelling No. 434 north Pine street, which has been in the possession of the plaintiff and defendants, Michael, Martin and Bernard Hughes since April 1, 1902 and they have received all of the rents and profits amounting to about \$150. An accounting is asked for and the sale of the property unless a settlement of the account is made.

Special price on good aprons 15c a can at Watson's.

### NOTICE

The Women's Foreign Missionary society of the U. B. church will meet at the home of Mrs. Vanatta, west of North street Wednesday at 2 p. m. All ladies interested in missions are cordially invited.

Mrs. L. Poole, Secy.  
Scald head is an excema of the scalp. Scaly head is sometimes but it can be cured. Doan's Ointment quick and permanent in its results. At any drug store 5c cents.

See Crossley Brothers 715 south Main street, for mason fruit jars.

Some men get a reputation for bravery because they are able to conceal how scared they are.

When it comes to output the pencil manufacturer takes the lead.

## SOLEMN

High Mass Celebrated  
Yesterday

For the First Time by the  
Rev. Wm. D. Noonan.

Young Lima Man Who Was Re-  
cently Ordained to the Priest-  
hood, Conducts the Service  
at St. Rose Church.

Rev. Wm. D. Noonan, who was ordained to the priesthood at Albany last week, celebrated his first solemn high mass at St. Rose church yesterday at 10.30 o'clock. The altars were very beautifully decorated with choicest flowers and the music rendered by the choir during the solemn celebration of the mass was exceptionally fine. The church was well filled with the many friends of the newly ordained priest. Rev. A. E. Manning was the assistant to the celebrant and Rev. J. A. Tracey, of the Niagara University, and Seminarian James Higginbotham were the deacons of the mass. Rev. J. A. Tracey preached an able and a most fitting sermon to the occasion. In his sermon, Father Tracey paid a high compliment to the character and talents of the newly ordained priest, with whom, he said, he had the pleasure of seven years close acquaintance in the seminary. Mrs. Joseph V. Dimond, a sister of Father Noonan, entertained her distinguished brother together with Fathers Manning, Tracey and Seminarian Jas. Higginbotham, John Dimond and Miss Mary Dimond of this city and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Collins, of Toledo, at six o'clock dinner last night. At 7.30 p. m. in solemn vespers and benediction were celebrated by Father Noonan assisted by Father Tracey and Seminarian Jas. Higginbotham. After the evening services the large congregation present knelt at the chancel rail and received Father Noonan's first blessing.

## BROTHER

Of Mrs. O. J. Feltz Ordained  
to the Priesthood.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Feltz, of north Main street left yesterday for Birmingham, N. Y. Rev. John Mooney, a brother of Mrs. Feltz who was ordained in Rome about three weeks ago will arrive at his home in Birmingham tomorrow. Mr. and Mrs. Feltz go there to be present at his first mass which he will celebrate next Sunday. He will be assisted in the celebration of his first mass by his brother, Rev. James Mooney, of Olean, N. Y.

## HARDSHIPS

Of Three Years' Campaign-  
ing are Finally Over.

And John Wolfe, of the Ninth In-  
fantry, Returns to His Parents'  
Home in This City.

John Wolfe, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Wolf of south Pine street, who has served three years in the U. S. regular army in the Philippines and in China has returned home, having received an honorable discharge from the service. He was a member of the Ninth U. S. Infantry that became famous under Gen. Chaffee in the siege of Pekin, China, and was also in company C, of that regiment and was one of the seventeen men of the whole company who escaped the terrible massacre on the island of Samar.

## HUNDREDS

Of Children Made Happy To-  
day by Lodge of Elks.

Were Given Free Tickets for Ad-  
mission to the Carnival on Chil-  
dren's Day, July 8th.

At 1 o'clock this afternoon several hundred children, under the age of 12 years, assembled on the public square where members of the Elks' carnival executive committee presented them with free tickets for admission to the carnival on Tuesday, July 8th. These tickets will admit the little ones to the carnival between the hours of 1 and 4 o'clock on the afternoon of that day and any children who have not yet received tickets can secure them, free, by calling at the carnival headquarters on the second floor of the Cincinnati block.



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## SEPARATE SKIRTS.

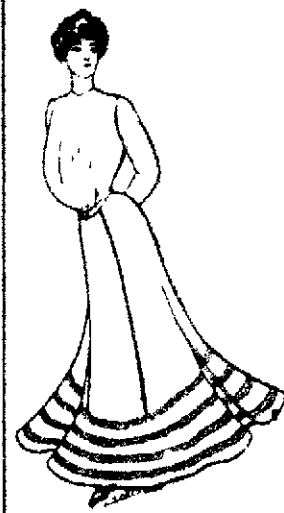
Nothing is lovelier wearing apparel should have more careful study than the proper hang and draping effect of a skirt.  
We make this an important study of our ready-made business.  
Our expert tailresses can tell you in a minute if hang and fit are correct, and should alterations be necessary they are cheerfully done gratis, always at the

## "BLUEM STANDARD"

Of excellence.

### WALKING SKIRTS.

A walking skirt to be correct should hang the same distance all around and have the proper flare.



### DRESS SKIRTS.

There has never been a season when we sold as many dress skirts, and never have we been better prepared with the right sorts at such interesting prices.

\$2.98 each. Wool homespun in tan and two shades of gray, flare flounce, with stitched taffeta band.

\$5.00 each. Fine venetian in hand-home shade of tan, graduated flare flounce, wide stitched silk taffeta band, welted tailored seams and stitched bottom.

\$5.75 each. Extra quality black cheviot, graduated flare flounce, two satin bands corded on either side, spun glass lined.

### SILK SKIRTS.

Advanced fall styles of new and beautiful effects, such as you will see the coming season in up-to-date costumes.



\$10 each. Black silk taffeta, with six vertical box pleats, graduated flare flounce, liberty silk ruching trimmed.

\$12.00 each. Black silk taffeta, vertical box pleats, graduated flare flounce and liberty ruching.

\$15.00 each. Black silk taffeta, Soie, vertical box pleats, graduated flare flounce and liberty silk ruching trimmed. Head of flounce corded and appliqued with neat velvet and silk medallions.

### WASH SKIRTS

In white pique, cotton and linen crash and denim, made correct and well tailored.  
69c each. Linen colored cotton crash, trimmed with white cotton braid and double stitched.  
\$1.38 and \$2.50 each. Grass cloth, telled and strapped seams.  
\$2.50 all over tucked.  
Denim Skirts \$1.25 each.  
Duck Skirts \$1.00 to \$2.75 each.  
White Pique Skirts \$1.98 to \$5.00 each.



Dress  
Goods.

Suit  
House.



55-57 Public Square.

## COILS

Are Tightening Around  
Wade and Landis

Charged With the Sullivan  
Murder at Toledo:

The Allen County Horse Thief and  
His Famous Partner are About  
to Close Their Criminal  
Careers.

The Columbus Dispatch says the consensus of opinion about the penitentiary is that Ben Landis now doing an eighteen months sentence from Darke county for concealing a stolen seal skin squire and Ben Wade who was sent up from Lima for horse stealing will stand most excellent chances of being taken to the electrical chair for the murder of Kate Sullivan in Toledo about two years ago.

Both have been indicted for the crime and the facts that their records are against them will materially aid in their conviction. Al Wade has also been indicted, but those in position to know assert that he is not guilty of even participating in the crime. It is also known that Ben Landis has devised a most ingenious alibi, and that he will force the two other men charged with the crime to testify that he

was sick on the night Mrs. Sullivan was killed and her sister assaults him, such a trivial matter that she has since been a cripple.

Ben Landis is recognized as one of the slickest criminals in the county. He has served a term previous to his present conviction. It is known that there are a number of other indictments hanging over him for crimes committed in the past and that he can call to his aid some of the county officials in the state in the event that he is threatened with conviction for any of the crimes mentioned.

### FIREWORKS!

Family displays a speciality. Make your selections early and have them stored until wanted. Open evenings until the Fourth. Green's book store.

### A PLEASANT PARTY.

Miss Zelma Shook entertained a number of her little friends Saturday afternoon, at being her eighth birthday. A very enjoyable time was had. She received many beautiful presents from her friends. Those present were, Margaret Snyder, Louise Davis, Helen Davis, Ethel Friend, Ethel Bollinger, Mildred Rice, Lottie Rice, Myrtle Shortridge, Mable Neely, Gladys Chadman and Mary Allen.

Apex bacon and hams, nothing else like them, only at Watson's.

## REMAINS

Of Mrs. S. A. Wilson Laid to  
Rest, Last Evening

In Accordance With a Last Request  
the Remains Were Consigned  
to Rest at Sun Set

The funeral of Mrs. S. A. Wilson, whose death occurred Saturday at 10.30 on west Elm street was held Friday, was held yesterday afternoon at three o'clock in the afternoon at the services were held in the church at Allentown, R. S. Anderson officiating. In accordance with a last request made by the deceased, the remains were consigned to a last rest at the Allentown cemetery at sunset.

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